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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

We Are
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EATS AND DRINKS. PLAZA BAR.

All kinds of drinks, at CARLE'S CONFECTIONERY. tf.

Budweiser Beer, draught and bottled. PLAZA BAR.

Tom Neuman was a business caller at this office Tuesday.

Melville Smith left Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Italy, Texas.

A new deal in Federal tires at JOE MEYER'S SERVICE STATION.

Hondo Lumber Co. sells the Kelvinator electric refrigerator. tf.

NICE FIGS FOR SALE; 25c PER GALLON. C. U. BARRIENTES. tf.

Something entirely new at JOE MEYER'S SERVICE STATION. Ask about it.

FOR GOOD FRESH GROCERIES, REASONABLY PRICED, CALL ON OR PHONE 42. C. J. BLESS.

Mrs. Leo Schweers and son of Del Rio are visiting with Mrs. Schweers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bader.

Grand Prize, Faust, Monte Carlo, Pearl, Magnolia, Texas Pride, and Budweiser bottled beer. PLAZA BAR.

Judge R. J. Noonan attended the Convention of County Judges which was held in San Antonio all last week.

Mrs. Otto Bendele and daughter, Miss Ruby, of Castroville visited Mrs. Henry Batot, Jr., the first of the week.

Mrs. Julia Robinson of Hondo and Mrs. Earl O'Neill and children of Luling have been visiting relatives in Del Rio.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Bradley have as their guests Mrs. Bradley's sisters, Misses Gwendolyn and Lois Howard, of Waco.

Mrs. James Bailey of Natalia arrived the first of the week for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nester, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Zuberhueler and family of Comstock are on a visit to Mr. John Zuberhueler and other relatives at Dunlay.

Judge and Mrs. D. H. Fly have as their guests their son, Sidney Fly, and wife, who are visiting here from Shreveport, Louisiana.

WHEN IN TOWN CALL AROUND AND BUY GOOD GROCERIES AT A REASONABLE PRICE. C. J. BLESS.

Mrs. Dora Berns of Cibola and Mrs. Paul Reinhart and daughter, Miss Lena, of D'Hanis visited Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reilly last Friday.

Mrs. Isabel Garber and Mr. Ernest Schneider are enjoying a several weeks' visit of their niece, Miss Gloria Wilburn of San Antonio.

Mrs. C. W. Roberts and daughter, Miss Mildred, returned Saturday to their home in San Antonio, after spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ney.

I. F. Aten was over from D'Hanis yesterday. Mr. Aten attended an Old Settler's reunion in Williamson County last week and reports a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Louis Scherrer and Mrs. Florence Isom and two sons, Sherrill and Larry, of San Antonio spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Davis and other relatives here.

Farmers' attention is called to advertisement of Guenther Public Warehouses, San Antonio, Texas. Time for 12-ct. Government cotton loans expires July 31st.

The Ninth Infantry will be recruiting in Hondo next Monday and Tuesday. Anyone desiring information may obtain same by getting in touch with the recruiting party.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boehle have moved into their new home recently purchased from Horace Bradley, and are doing some repairing and remodeling on the building.

Mrs. Henry Merriman won the first \$100 bank account at the Colonial Theatre Tuesday night. The two accounts for next Bank Night will amount to \$100 and \$80 each.

Good amusement in Hondo, Wednesday and Thursday nights of every week. "Soft Ball", something new. While here make your headquarters at the PLAZA BAR & CAFE.

Mrs. Lucy Van Fleet left Wednesday for her home in Galveston after spending the greater part of the summer with her sons, Clarence and Alton Van Fleet, and families here.

Bru Miller is substituting this week for Rural Carrier Hunter while Mr. Hunter attends a convention in San Angelo. Mrs. Hunter and little son are visiting relatives in Kerrville.

IS YOUR INSURANCE MAN, ONE WHO LIVES AMONG YOU, OR ONE JUST PASSING THRU?

For Every Form of Insurance See O. H. MILLER, Hondo, Texas, Since 1907.

BAPTIST NEWS NOTES.

Last Sunday was a really good day with us. Not a few visitors gladdened our congregation by their presence. Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell of Gonzales, together with their son-in-law, Mr. Grams, and his wife. Others, whose names we did not secure, were with us. Every face, appearing in the house of God, not only pleases the Pastor and congregation, but I am sure pleases our Father, Who has thus provided for the spiritual enrichment of all the people. The services at night, when Bro. Hull of the Methodist church preached, were well attended and the message given was well received. On next Sunday we expect to welcome the return of not a few of our encampment folks. They will add new joy to our fellowship. The Pastor will be in his pulpit at the morning hour, and will speak, according to our mutual arrangement, at the Methodist church house at the evening hour. Great Gospel messages will be presented at both these hours. It will be worth your time and also your presence and prayers to be with us. Hondo needs a demonstration of New Testament Christianity. For the sake of His Name, let us who profess to be his friends, determine to make this demonstration. For the poor debauched booze fighter, the debauched profligate, the greedy gambler, the worshipper of amusements, the common liar, God has made one provision. Here it is: "The Son of man came TO PUT AWAY SIN by the sacrifice of Himself. The blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanseth us FROM ALL SIN. Come and be healed. Do you know the way to God? Here is the answer: "I am the way, the truth, the life—no man cometh to the Father, but by me." See John's Gospel, 14th Chapter. Come and worship with us.

R. W. MERRILL, Pastor.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Gladstone said "Church going is not a matter of fancy for a Christian. It is his duty for the work's sake. I am a regular church-goer. I should go for various reasons if I did not love it." "I find there is in a corner of my heart a little plant called REVERENCE which wants to be watered once a week."

And Gladstone has well spoken. I am sure, however, that the heart with all its corners is not satisfied unless and until the Saviour who is Christ the Lord has taken up His place near there and has strengthened our faith through our Church going. The soul cannot be at rest until it rests in God. Do not deceive yourself, or your soul. "Son, work today in my vineyard." "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved and thy house." Among other things in form, we aim to make our services and keep our services reverent. Perhaps that is the "something different" you have noticed. "Come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord our Maker."

German services at 9:30, July 28. Do not allow other plans to keep you from this worship hour. You cannot afford it. English services at your convenience at 8:00 P. M. Sunday school and Bible Class at 8:30.

Sunday, August 4, English service at 9:30 A. M.

CHANGE IN RELIEF OFFICE.

Effective August 1st, the "Texas Rural Rehabilitation" shall be transferred to the Texas Resettlement Administration, and/or Texas Rural Communities, being completely divorced from the Texas Relief Commission thereafter, having its offices in the Relief Office at Hondo, with the following personnel:

C. A. Wenmohs, Rural Supervisor.

O. B. Bradley, Assistant Supervisor.

Mrs. Luella B. Ward, Home Supervisor.

Miss Frances Sauter, Stenographer and Certifying Officer.

This organization is interested in renting good, fertile lands for the coming year. Anyone having such land to rent, may, as soon as convenient, get in touch with Mr. C. A. Wenmohs, Rural Supervisor, who will discuss the matter with him.

TEXAS RESETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATION, Hondo, Medina County, Texas.

MEDINA PIONEER DIES AT HOME IN SAN ANTONIO.

Miss Emily Villenain, 84, member of a pioneer Texas family, died early Wednesday at her residence, 602 West Laurel street, San Antonio. A native of Belfast, France, Miss Villenain came to this country 82 years ago and settled with her family on the Medina river near Castroville. For the past 66 years she made her home in San Antonio.

Funeral services were held Thursday morning from the Zizik-Kearns parlors, followed by a requiem mass in the St. Mary's Catholic church, the Rev. Joseph Ryan officiating. Interment was made in Mission Burial park.

Surviving Miss Villenain are two sisters, Miss Adeline Villenain and Mrs. Justine Stein.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By Edson R. Waite,
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

Selfishness holds back progress.

You should boost your city.

Citizens who have boosted their home city along business lines usually have something to show for it.

In many cities the organized business men have been busy. They have gone after the business of the home city and surrounding country in a business-like manner.

The organized business men of live cities are encouraging agriculture, aiding and assisting production and construction and encouraging and helping ambition.

They know that what helps the home city helps them.

These cities profit by the mistakes of other cities.

THERE IS NO ACTIVITY SO CREATIVE AND PRODUCTIVE OF GOOD COMMON-SENSE BOOSTING.

Don't Let Your Competitor Profit By Your Mistakes!

AND IT RAINED.

The clouds gathered and the rain came, and a thirsty earth that was beginning to show need of refreshment has been watered again. It began raining during the night before and continued almost uninterrupted all during the forenoon of Wednesday. Judge Haass' rain gauge registered a total fall for the time of 4.10 inches. The fall was gentle for the most part and much of it soaked into the soil. Second growth feed crops and late fall crops have been greatly benefited. Its effect on cotton is indeterminate.

The rain was much heavier northwest of us, causing a 15-foot rise in the Hondo Creek and again putting the Seco and Parkers Creeks out of their banks at D'Hanis. Considerable damage was done to both the railroad and highway roadbeds just west of D'Hanis and flood water spread over much of the town but luckily it was not so severe as the flood of May 31st.

What would have been a most welcome shower in time of drought fell about mid-afternoon Thursday and as we went to press more was threatening to follow.

Come to the Hondo Land Co. when you wish to buy or sell real estate.

BROOM CORN SELLING.

The broom corn market opened up here this week when Frank T. Ward, buyer for eastern parties, purchased four carloads of straw from local growers. Shipment is expected to be made today.

Otis Laughinghouse, V. P. King and R. A. Taylor were parties from whom purchases were made. Prices paid, which varied according to quality, were subject to private negotiation.

This is the first local movement of the crop and other shipments are expected to follow soon as there is a considerable quantity of straw on hand and the rain of Wednesday will probably produce considerable second growth on some fields.

While broom corn is a new crop for most of our farmers, the yield was reasonably high and of fair quality. As our soil and climate are favorable to the growth of the crop if prices are fair it will become a permanent commercial crop for many of our farmers.

Mrs. F. H. Schweers has as her guests for several days this week Mrs. C. W. Fuos, Mrs. Alton Fuos and Mrs. F. M. Chaney and two little daughters, Dorothy and Betty Jean, of San Antonio.

TEXAS HONORS HIM.



PORTRAIT OF JOHN GARNER.

George Robinson in Houston Post.

The Texas senate has voted \$500 to purchase an oil portrait of John Nance Garner, vice president of the United States.

John Garner is an outstanding citizen of Texas, native of the soil. He has the esteem and the confidence of all who dwell beneath the folds of the Lone Star flag. A people honor themselves when they give suitable and substantial recognition to one of their number who has achieved distinction, and the purchase of this portrait will meet public approval.

The portrait is from the brush of Lucy Wilson Rice. Her father was a gallant member of troops from Alabama fighting for the Southern Con-

federacy, his courage and fidelity attested by the loss of a limb. Coming with his family to Texas, they settled in Belton, and their daughter, Miss Lucy, grew to womanhood there, her alma mater being Baylor Female College, presided over at the time by John Hill Luther, an educator of renown.

Miss Lucy Wilson gave her heart and hand in marriage to Charles D. Rice, a professor in the University of Texas, and a close personal friend of Frank Andrews, a well-known Houston attorney. Professor Rice has gone to his reward in Heaven, leaving behind him an influence for good that will go on forever.

It is good to know that Texas has many capable artists in sculpture, music and painting, not the least of whom in ability is Lucy Wilson Rice.

QUIHI NOTES.

And God said to Abraham, As for Sarai thy wife, thou shalt not call her name Sarai, but Sarah shall her name be. . . . I will bless her, and she shall be a mother of nations, kings of people shall be of her. Gen. 17: 15, 16.

The divine and human elements are strangely mingled into the lives and into the very names of this patriarchal couple, and all for a large and higher purpose. In the long retrospect and aided by later revelations, we can see the divine purpose. The new names and their significance, designating both as the origins of many nations, pointed to a physical impossibility, to something ridiculous, from the human scope of view, considering their age. Their faith had to take it or leave it. Their nomadic isolation, no connection with the world at large, and their childlessness, again, did not warrant the probability that kings, in the real sense of that term, should ever be among their offspring. Another test of faith. And why so much ado about the name of a woman at a time, when the dignity of woman was so little recognized in Israel and in the pagan world around? Dare Sarah indulge in the meaning of her new name? And did it all come true? In every detail. And the process of fulfillment is not yet ended. The history of Israel is not a dead relic. St. Paul compares this race to an "olive tree", i. e., a living organism with a great bloom ahead (Rom. c. 11). Both had faith. The new letter in their names, the "h", (it's the principal letter in the word Jehovah), was not merely written into their names, but into their hearts.

Due to sickness and other untoward circumstances, we had many cancellations in our last Luther League program. But it was no mutilated program at all, thanks to the ever-ready substitutes that offer their services in an emergency. Not a single number had to be omitted and the fair audience was well repaid for their coming. Even little Miss Helen Boehle helped along, making her debut, her first appearance, and coming through with flying colors. Singing alone before a sea of faces, there is a difference. We admired her courage, and we are sure that her example will encourage others of her size and type. Come on with the goods. Every item adds to an enjoyable evening, and the Lord still loves the praise from the mouth of "babes". And here are the assignments for the next program. Kindly inform, whenever you are not able to be with us. Recitations, Lewis Boehle, Miss Agnes Hartmann; select readings, Mrs. Arnold Lindeburg, Marvin Grell; vocal selections, Miss Esther Bohlen, Rohlf Saathoff; instrumental solo, Mrs. Alfred Saathoff. The standing numbers will be taken care of by the musical director, Mr. Edwin Grell.

The first of August is the day for our next meeting of the Ladies' Aid. The hostesses are the Mesdames C. W. Grell, Otto Neumann, Geo. Balzen. The Lord needs your aid and you need the impulse and cheer of this gathering. So try to be with the other members and bring your neighbor along. They're always welcome.

Announcements for July 28th: German service at New Fountain, 10 A. M. Junior Bible class and Sunday school at 9; evening service at 8. Let the Lord "comfort your hearts, and establish you in every good word and work." II Thes. 2:17.

C. WEEBER, Pastor.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Whereas, He who doeth all things well, has seen proper to call from his labors our brother and co-worker, Companion John P. Nixon,

And whereas, it is but just that a fitting recognition of his many virtues should be had, therefore, be it Resolved by Hondo Chapter No. 350 Royal Arch Masons: That, while we bow with humble submission to the will of the Most High, we do not the less mourn for our friend and companion who has been taken from this earthly tabernacle to the celestial lodge above;

Resolved, That, in the death of Companion Nixon, this Chapter laments the loss of a companion who was ever ready to proffer the hand of aid and the voice of sympathy to those of the fraternity in distress;

Resolved: That we sincerely condole with the family of the deceased and that the heartfelt sympathy of this Chapter be extended to them in their afflictions;

Resolved: That these resolutions be entered upon the records of the Chapter and a copy thereof transmitted to the family of our deceased companion, and published in the Hondo Anvil Herald.

FLETCHER DAVIS,
ISAAC WILSON,
DR. O. B. TAYLOR,
Committee.

Hondo City Chapter No. 350,

R. A. M.

Hondo, Texas, July 22, 1935.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Crow have as their guests Mrs. Crow's sisters, Mrs. G. C. Deen of Austin and Mrs. N. C. Johnson of Beeville, and Mrs. Deen's daughter, Mrs. J. R. Gault, also of Austin.



SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews

By the

MANAGING EDITOR.

The Anvil end of this paper was started in the midsummer of 1886. Therefore, with the issue of July 12th the paper completed its 49th year and with the issue of July 19th entered its 50th volume. The present management bought The Anvil at Castroville in the spring of 1900, before it had completed its 13th volume, and is now in the 36th year of its ownership. Whether our investment of all we had in an enterprise that at the time was not earning expenses proved us brave or only desperate, the fact that we bought it on Friday and in its 13th year should at least prove we were not superstitious. The paper has done its best to keep pace with changing conditions and along with the change from the horse and buggy to the automobile we long ago went from hand-set methods to machine composition. How well we continue to keep pace must depend upon the loyalty and support of the community, for when all is said and done a newspaper is not what the editor but what the people he serves make it. Now is the time to subscribe!

HOW WE SHALL VOTE.

The people of Texas will be called upon to vote on seven proposed changes in the Texas Constitution at a special election for that purpose on August 24th.

The proposals will be numbered and are discussed below in the order of their appearance on the ticket, and those voting for will scratch the paragraph beginning "Against" and those voting against will scratch the paragraph beginning "For".

1. FOR the Amendment giving the Legislature the power to provide a System of Old Age Assistance not to exceed Fifteen Dollars (\$15) per month per person and to accept from the Government of the United States financial aid for old age assistance.

AGAINST, etc.

We shall vote against this amendment. The state is delinquent now in its payments to Confederate veterans and for current expenses. We should assume no more financial burdens until we have discharged those already contracted. Furthermore, no more Federal-State partnerships should be encouraged.

2. FOR the Amendment of Article 1, Section 15, of the State Constitution by adding to said Section a provision to the effect that the Legislature may provide for the temporary commitment of mentally ill persons not charged with a criminal offense by the County Court without the necessity of a jury trial.

AGAINST, etc.

We are against this Amendment. Trial by jury, defective as it may be, is the best safeguard yet devised for the protection of a man's freedom. It cannot be denied to the humblest without endangering all.

3. FOR the Amendment to the State Constitution repealing state wide prohibition, prohibiting the open saloon and providing for local option.

AGAINST, etc.

This one proposal we shall vote for, not for any merit it contains of its own but because most any change is to be preferred to the conditions it would change.

4. FOR the Amendment to Section I, Article XVIII, of the Constitution of Texas, providing that Amendments to the Constitution may be proposed at Special Sessions of the Legislature under certain conditions.

AGAINST, etc.

It is too easy to amend our Constitution now. The adoption of this Amendment would afford an excuse for more frequent sessions of the Legislature, and lead to constant tinkering with our fundamental law. Texas should have none of it. We shall vote against its adoption.

5. FOR the Amendment to the State Constitution authorizing the Courts to place defendants on probation.

AGAINST, etc.

This is another companion piece of legislation along with the suspended sentence, the chief virtue of which is to serve as a loophole for shyster

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LOCAL AND PERSONALS

No ice to bother with. Try a Kelvinator, Hondo Lumber Co. tf.

L. J. Brucks, lawyer, is now located next to Beal's Barber Shop. tf.

Find out about the Airide Coaster Wagon at JOE MEYER'S SERVICE STATION.

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AMBULANCE SERVICE anywhere, DAY or NIGHT. John A. Horger, Funeral Director. Phone 75.

Mrs. L. E. Kollman is visiting her son, Harry Kollman, and family at Teague, Texas. Harry recently moved from Hondo to Teague where he is now running a Red & White Grocery Store.

IS YOUR INSURANCE MAN, ONE WHO LIVES AMONG YOU; OR ONE JUST PASSING THRU? For Every Form of Insurance See O. H. MILLER, Hondo, Texas, Since 1907.

Dr. H. J. Meyer, who underwent an appendix operation in a San Antonio hospital some three weeks ago, was able to be removed to his home here last Thursday night, and is rapidly regaining his former good health.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Haass had as their guests Monday Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Bendele and two daughters, Edith Adele and Peggy, of Long Beach, Calif., Mrs. Adela Bendele of San Antonio, Mrs. August Schmidt of Teshus, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bendele and Mr. George Bendele, Jr., of Hondo.

WINDROW'S Store News

IF I HAD A HEADACHE LIKE YOU HAVE TODAY I'D LET ALKA-SELTZER FIZZ IT AWAY



Get your paper plates, napkins and picnic supplies here.

See our Thermos bottles and Jugs. Take one with you.

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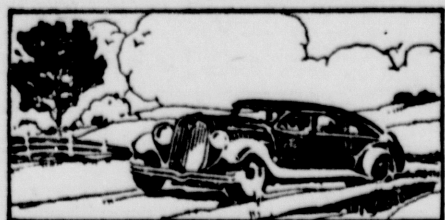
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FLETCHER'S FARMING
HONDO, TEXAS

Hints for Motorists

By C. R. Strouse

Director, School of Automobiles,
International Correspondence
Schools



To make a tight-fitting job when renewing auto-hose connections, get a length of hose in a size just a little too small to be forced over the nipples of the radiator tank and engine block. To swell the ends of the hose sufficiently to enable them to be slipped over the nipples, soak the ends in gasoline for about an hour. Slip the ends into place. Adjust the clamps after the gasoline has evaporated, when it will be found that the hose has a tight grip on the nipples. Do not use hose having wire or unusually heavy fabric reinforcements.

Open seams in the casing are usually responsible when a muffler suddenly becomes noisy. The leaky seams can be distinguished by the soot-blackened appearance, and can easily be sealed with ordinary asbestos furnace cement.

Prof. J. G. Barry and C. M. Flory were here last week-end on business. R. W. Bendele, son of Mrs. Adela Bendele, his wife and two daughters, Betty Lou and Edith Adele, of Long Beach, California, have been visiting relatives here and in Devine and Castroville for several weeks. Mr. Bendele left Medina County some thirteen years ago for California, where he married and acquired a family. This was his first visit to Medina County in the thirteen years, and the first visit to Texas for Mrs. Bendele and daughters.

Judge H. E. Haass, whose home on North Front Street was flooded by the high water that poured through that part of town on May 31st, is having the building raised some two feet and remodeling and recovering the same. When finished it will be greatly improved both in comfort and in outward appearance.

Rev. T. J. Flynn, pastor of St. John the Evangelist Church, left Monday on a three weeks' vacation, to be spent with relatives and friends in Boston, Mass. The Redemptorist Fathers of San Antonio will have charge of the parish church in the absence of the pastor.

Master Edson J. Oefinger of Sturm Hill spent last week here with his uncle, Mr. O. J. Bader. Mr. Bader and the young man have been "batching" while Mrs. Bader and two daughters, Mary Adele and Betty Jean, visited her sister, Mrs. J. J. Saathoff, in San Antonio.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Batot arrived Saturday evening from Austin, Texas. Mr. Batot left early Sunday morning to enter the Reserve Officers training camp at Fort Clark, Texas, for two weeks. Mrs. Batot will visit with relatives and friends here until Mr. Batot returns.

\$200.00 Westinghouse full automatic porcelain Electric Range, 4-burner with elevated oven, full automatic, electric clock control, almost new. Guaranteed same as new range for 1 year. Price \$65.00 del. in Hondo. FRANK SCHROEDER, Norge Dealer, 213 Main Ave., San Antonio, Texas, F7349. 2tpd.

Miss Helen Sale and Miss Carolyn McClain of San Antonio spent Wednesday here with Judge and Mrs. D. H. Fly. They were accompanied back to San Antonio Wednesday evening by Miss Sale's mother, Mrs. A. P. Sale, who had spent two days here, and by Miss Etta Fly, who had been visiting homefolks here for some time.

Nestle method permanently waved hair without destroying gloss and texture of normal hair, dressed in modern individual type after shampoo and thoroughly dried will retain coiffure after necessary daily care of hair. Daily application of water to hair is detrimental to hair texture. Marinello face powder, lotions and creams are sold here and used for scientific care of face, hair and scalp, a necessity for health. LADIES BEAUTY SHOPPE.

Mr. W. H. Windrow and party, composed of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Carle and Doris and Babo Windrow, returned Friday night from a motor trip through the West. They found the hottest weather in crossing the desert, but enjoyed the California climate and the swimming in the Pacific along the California Coast. They spent two days attending the Exposition at San Diego, California. On the return trip home they were accompanied by Mr. Windrow's son, Don, of Animus, New Mexico, who will remain here for some time.

The Thursday Bridge Club and several additional friends were guests of Mrs. O. H. Miller Friday afternoon for several games of bridge. Mrs. T. B. Knopp won high score prize, Mrs. Earl Starnes won second high score prize, and Miss Audrey Lewis received the guest prize. Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The personnel included the following: Mesdames W. H. Smith, J. M. Finger, Roy Hunter, Earl Starnes, O. B. Taylor, Garland Martin, E. J. Leinweber, R. J. Noonan, T. B. Knopp, L. E. Heath, and L. J. Brucks, and Miss Audrey Lewis.

Mrs. W. O. Rothe was hostess to the Ladies' Bridge Club at her country home Thursday afternoon of last week, entertaining with three tables of bridge. Following the games prizes were awarded Miss Lillian Brucks for high score, Mrs. J. M. Finger for consolation, and Miss Mary Emma Finger for guest. A refreshing salad course and iced tea were served to the following club members and guests: Mesdames Alice Reinhart, Robert Kollman, L. J. Brucks, L. E. Heath, F. H. Schweers, Fletcher Davis, Earl Starnes, O. B. Taylor, and J. M. Finger, and Misses Lillian Brucks, Mary Emma Finger and Annette Rothe.

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AN OLD ROMAN LAW AND ITS PRESENT DAY SIGNIFICANCE

There was an old Roman law relating to bank deposits to the effect that a depositor who left his money only for safety ranked before a depositor who received interest for his money.

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HONDO STATE BANK

FIELDS' TYPE OF FILM FUN ALL HIS OWN.

Above all else W. C. Field, screen comic, has a unique style of delivery which has endeared him to millions. Fields, who is starred in Paramount's "Man on the Flying Trapeze", coming Monday and Tuesday to the Colonial Theatre, declares he acquired his raspy voice as a youngster, and never has lost it. Few people know he started his career as a vocal comedian, turning to pantomime when he left for abroad.

The Fields delivery is unique. The lines themselves, with the raspy Fields voice reciting them, gain a distinctive humor that no other funny man on stage or screen can imitate or equal.



In "Man on the Flying Trapeze" Fields is seen as a shy, down-trodden clerk, brow-beaten in the office and hen-pecked at home. The film tells how this "poor man" tries to sneak away from his office and his nagging wife and mother-in-law to attend a wrestling match.

The list of supporting players which includes, in addition to Mary Brian and Kathleen Howard, Lucien Littlefield, Grady Sutton, Vera Lewis, Oscar Apfel, all contribute to the fun of the piece.

Boll weevil continue their destructive ravages to the cotton crop. Mr. J. S. Fly reports a 90-acre crop of fine, healthy looking plants but without any fruit. The weevils take the forms before the blooms open and he says from the present outlook the 90 acres will not produce as much as a bale. While this seems like an extreme case, it is no doubt fairly typical of most cotton crops in this vicinity.

Friends and relatives here received the sad news Wednesday of the death of Mrs. Bess Breeding Billings at Encinal. Mrs. Billings visited her sisters, Mrs. Earl Boon and Mrs. Ed. Convey here on numerous occasions. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boon and daughter, Miss Lucille, and Mr. and Mrs. Volney Boon attended the funeral at Encinal yesterday.

Thomas Reynolds of Seguin spent the first of the week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Reynolds. On Tuesday Thomas, accompanied by Harry Filleman, left on a ten days' motor trip to Oklahoma. In Oklahoma City they plan to visit with Montel Williamson.

Mr. Vernon Ward of Warren, Arizona, was a business caller at this office last Friday. Mr. Ward and family were here on a visit, the first in a number of years, to relatives in the Yancey country. They returned the first of the week to their Arizona home.

The Medina County Boosters Club is sponsoring one of its fine dances and entertainment feature, with Jimmie Kleins' musicians and vocal artists at the Fair Grounds hall Saturday night, August 3rd. Watch for further announcements.

We have been informed that Wesley H. Bendele, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Bendele of Hondo, has been enlisted in the United States Army, and has been assigned to the 12th P. Artillery, with station at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas.

Miss Annie Laura Renken is visiting relatives and friends in Castroville, having acted as bridesmaid in the Schott-Halbardier wedding Tuesday morning in St. Louis Church.

Lost, two Polled-Hereford yearling heifers, unbranded. Finder please notify L. J. Saathoff, Phone 966-F3, Hondo. 1tpd.

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Mrs. C. W. Martindale and Roy Stone and family of Martindale and San Marcos respectively spent Sunday at the Stone farm north of Hondo, visiting Clyde Stone and their sister, Miss Stella Stone. Miss Stella is spending her summer vacation at the farm.

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Rev. and Mrs. Shan M. Hull are chaperoning a camping party of young people at Camp Fawcett on the Nueces this week. The camp is a sort of a combination of holiday frolic, a church chautauqua and training school, combining recreation, pleasure and profit all in one. We regret that we haven't the names of the personnel of the party.

The editor and family were favored by a most enjoyable visit last Friday from Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Heard of Sherman, Texas. Mrs. Heard has two children living in San Antonio and took time off from a visit to them to come out to Hondo. She is the eldest daughter of the editor's oldest brother and one of two sisters, all left living now of the brother's immediate family.

The editors of this paper are in receipt of a card from Mr. and Mrs. Alex Boehme of San Antonio who with their two children, Miss Dorothy and Nesbit, are visiting Mrs. Boehme's sister, Mrs. C. E. McCashin and family at Chattanooga, Tenn. They are having an enjoyable trip and expect to return by way of Covington and Memphis, the former town being Mrs. Boehme's early childhood home. Mrs. Boehme and Mrs. McCashin were before their marriages Misses Annie Mac and Dorothy Hall of Castroville.

In a three month's campaign ending March 30, Jasper county farmer, immunized 4000 pigs against hog cholera and checked a disease that had been raging in approximately 10 communities for six months. Seventeen practical farmers trained in the work participated in this campaign. According to reliable estimates of farmers, 3500 pigs died with the disease before it was brought under control. The campaign was conducted in connection with the farm meat supply program, the purpose of which is to insure an adequate meat supply for every farm home.

Stockmen report screw worms unusually numerous and troublesome on the ranges this season. Not only are they doing serious damage to domestic animals but wild ones as well are suffering. County Treasurer O. J. Bader reports finding a doe in one of his tanks last week. It was too feeble to get out of his way and he roped and tied it up. Examination disclosed that screw worms had eaten off both of its ears and laid bare part of the neck bone. It died before he could do anything for it to bring relief. The animal had evidently sought the water to cool the fever from which it must have been suffering.

Jack J. Bendele was here this week from the Nueces country. He was visiting his brother, Florian Bendele. Discussing the Seco floods, Mr. Bendele says that the floods will continue to follow every heavy rain until the bed of the Seco creek is cleared of the timber growth that now, it is claimed, chokes the stream and stops the natural flow of the flood waters. If this be true, a survey would easily determine the fact. The clearing of these obstructions, straightening bends wherever feasible and the planting of timber breaks where there is danger of the water breaking out and cutting a new channel would seem to be the most feasible means of flood protection. This would seem to offer a chance for the CCC to do some real conservation work.

DR. M. S. DERANKOU

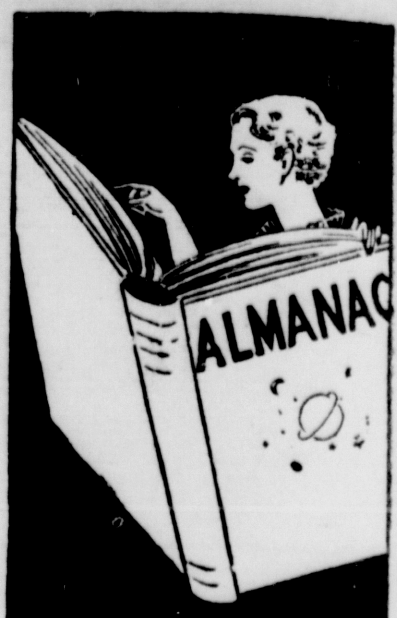
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Corn in Potato Nests: Add two tablespoons of butter and one-half teaspoon salt to two cups of hot mashed potatoes. Beat until fluffy. Add two well-beaten egg yolks and force through a pastry bag onto a greased pan, in the form of nests. Brown in a hot oven. Remove from the pan with a spatula and all with hot, well-seasoned canned corn. Serve with fried chicken. This serves eight persons.

Mexican Corn: Sauté one medium-sized onion which has been chopped in two tablespoons of butter until it is golden brown. Add one tablespoon flour and stir until smooth. Add two cups of canned tomatoes, two cups of canned corn, two canned pimientos, one teaspoon salt, one teaspoon sage and one-eighth teaspoon pepper, and pour into a buttered baking dish. Cover thickly with buttered crumbs and brown in a hot oven. This serves eight persons.

Corn Oysters: Add to one cup of canned corn one tablespoon of melted butter, three-fourths teaspoon salt, one-eighth teaspoon pepper and four tablespoons flour which has been mixed with one-eighth teaspoon baking powder. Add one beaten egg yolk and fold in one stiffly-beaten egg white. Drop by small spoonfuls into hot fat (375 to 390 degrees). Fry a golden brown; drain well. This makes about twenty small "oysters." Choose a solid pack of corn for this dish.

Seventy-two head of cattle fed on cotton fodder have wintered better than cattle wintered on cane, Johnson grass and other forage in the farm of Brad Staggs, Clay county stockman. All cattle were fed cake twice a week. Staggs bought 100 acres of cotton last fall which he had mowed and stacked as he would any other hay except that it was not packed as tight as the ordinary stack and that a mixture of salt and lime was sprinkled throughout the stack. The land produced an estimated 100 tons of cotton fodder at a cost of \$100. Seventy-two head of cattle were wintered on this fodder and Staggs will have one stack left when he quits feeding. At first the cattle did not seem to like the cotton fodder but now they will quit other fodder to eat it.

March second witnessed the first 4-H club calf show in the history of Goliad County. It was the general opinion that there was the largest crowd in town on that day there had been for years. Eight boys exhibited nine calves. Hob Hall of the Beeville Experiment Station judged. Liberal financial support had been given by all parts of the county and there was a cash prize schedule as follows: first place, \$16.00; second, \$13.50; third, \$12.00; and four places of \$9.50 each. Every boy who completed the feeding project and exhibited his calf got a cash award. Alton Curtis had a second prize senior calf and a first prize junior calf and thereby pulled down a total of \$29.50 in prize money which more than paid his expenses to the Houston show with his calves.

Final preparations are being made by St. Mary's Parish of LaCoste for the annual picnic to be held Sunday July 28th, at Echtle's Grove near LaCoste. At 12 o'clock a grand barbecue dinner will be served, and during the day entertainment features will include amusement booths and refreshment stands, and a musical concert by Prof. Leinhardt's combined Castroville and LaCoste orchestra. A large crowd of visitors is expected. You will find your invitation elsewhere in this paper.

Castroville Cullings

LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

W. F. NAEGLIN, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Naegelin or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Mr. Naegelin is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, JULY 23, 1935

Called From The Castroville Page.

The LaCoste Ledger, July 19th. Little Miss Nata Halty is spending the week with relatives here.

Miss Ella Bader from Biry is visiting with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Keller and son from LaCoste were visitors here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Tschirhart from San Antonio were visitors here Sunday.

Messrs. Martin Schneider and Joe A. Bader were business visitors in San Antonio.

Messrs. Alex Tschirhart and William Burger made a business trip to San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. Angelina Kauffmann, who has been on the sick list the past week, is doing fine at this writing.

Miss Mary Hoog spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Halty at Hondo.

Miss Margaret Tschirhart from San Antonio is visiting with relatives here.

C. H. Gwensky from the San Antonio Horse and Mule Auction was here on business Tuesday.

Messrs. Jack FitzSimon and Eugene Mangold were business visitors in Hondo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Tondre from San Antonio were week-end visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Greven from San Antonio were visiting here a few days the past week.

Mr. Freeman, vice-president of Draughon's Business College of San Antonio, was a visitor here Friday.

Miss Mildred Miller and Prof. Matt Bader from San Marcos were visitors here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Biediger and daughter from Pearson were visitors here Tuesday.

Mesdames Frank Steinle, Mary Steinle and Mattie Hines from San Antonio were visitors here one day the past week.

Mrs. Mary Bader from Hondo and Mrs. Charles Brown from Los Angeles, Texas, were visitors here last Wednesday.

Mrs. Arthur Holzhaus and son, George, Mrs. Herbert Holzhaus and son, George, were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sargin and daughter from St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. Mary Kosub and children from San Antonio were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Tragger Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Holzhaus was entertained with a birthday supper last Wednesday evening by a number of relatives and friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holzhaus.

Mrs. Ed. Mann, who has been on the sick list for several weeks, has returned from the hospital and is resting with Mrs. Charles Suchs here.

Messrs. Chas. Suchs, Sr., and son, Eugene from here and Paul and Dan Cristilles and Wilfred Biediger from LaCoste took a pleasure trip to Del Rio and Mexico Sunday.

Messrs. Chas. Suchs, Sr., from here, Fritz Weiblen and son, Herbert, and Alvin Bippert from the Sauz and Walter Geiger from LaCoste took a business trip to Houston Monday.

The dance in the Electric Park on Sunday night was well attended and enjoyed by all. The following prizes were received for being the best dancers: 1st prize, Miss Melba Arzbach and Milton Bippert; 2nd prize, Miss Ethel Haby and Daniel Biediger.

A birthday party was given in honor of Marlin Naegelin on his 15th birthday anniversary, Friday evening, July 12th. The evening was spent away in playing cards. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Clement Tondre, Leon Groff, Joseph Schmidt, Harvey Tondre and the Biediger family.

A birthday party was given in honor of Miss Laura Mae Schott, Saturday evening, July 13, the occasion of her 15th birthday anniversary.

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RURAL LETTER CARRIERS ASSN. MEETS.

The 5-County Local, consisting of Medina, Frio, Atascosa and Bexar Counties, of the National Rural Letter Carriers Association met at the Medina River below the bridge at Castroville Sunday, July 14th, for the first gathering of the kind in Medina County, with a large number of rural carriers present.

Previous to the opening of the picnic, barbecue was served and enjoyed by all.

Some of the visitors present were: Postmaster R. S. Hedges of San Antonio; Postmasters Alex Jung, LaCoste, A. Boog, D'Hanis, and Steinle, Dunlay.

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FOUND FOR KEEPS.

By Mrs. Clovis L. McBride.

The sultry, June afternoon was rapidly drawing to a close in the Ki-michi mountains of southeast Oklahoma. The sun had sunk low in the western sky, burnishing the corrugated peaks of the towering mountain-range below.

A solitary horseman threaded a dim path that zig-zagged through a winding canyon that reached for miles, tranquilly enclosed between two precipitous mountainsides.

"I'm surely not on the wrong trail this time," he soliloquized in an undertone. "The description is too exact—the mysterious lady of these mountains must be the one I have searched for so many years!" And a quiver of emotion crept into his voice as he whispered the last sentence.

For some distance he rode on in silence. Then he gave voice to another thought: "I'd best disguise a little. Victor and I used to look so much alike. She might mistake me for him and pump my hide full of lead!" And as he uttered the last word, he drew his trained horse to a halt.

Dismounting, he took a miniature package of stage make-up from his saddle-pocket. And in the brief interval of only a few moments his transformation was complete.

"I suppose she remembers every contour of Victor's features, but the nose-putty makes my respiration pipe look vastly different," he muttered as he sprang into the saddle. Then he rode on down the trail that now began to dip into a steep incline.

"Halt there!" a feminine voice rang out, breaking the ominous stillness of the forest.

"Yes, sir. What say?" answered the man who had been following in this story, perfectly composed and without the slightest evidence of fear or emotion, as he reined his mount to an abrupt halt.

"Get your hands in the air!" further demanded his hidden assailant. "Sure thing," he answered, as he quickly complied.

Then the slight figure of a woman attired in riding habit, and wearing a wide-brimmed sombrero, emerged from a clump of dense underbrush, with leveled revolver, and a menacing look in her deep blue eyes.

"Let's hear your business, Mister," she snapped out.

"If you'll only promise to hear me through, and then shoot me if you feel like it. But not until I have had my chance to explain everything, I'll be glad to begin my story," he replied.

"Out with it, then!" she tersely demanded.

"Then you promise not to shoot me until I am through with the whole story, no matter how some of it may sound at first?" he further questioned.

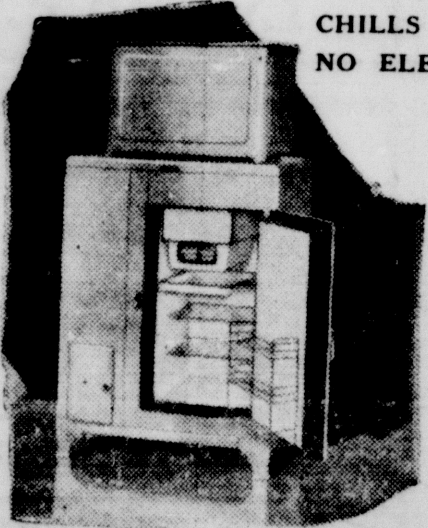
"I do," she replied. "But why the request? You surely could explain very briefly why you are here in these mountains where folks seldom come, except they who are running from the law, or else looking for those who are."

"Pardon me, but again let me remind you of your promise. For part of my story may sound entirely different to what it really is. But if you'll just give me time, I'll explain everything to your absolute satisfaction. Then if you want to shoot me—well, all you'll have to do is pull the trigger, as I see you have already taken sights on the head of your gun."

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"I'll not shoot you until you have had all the time you desire to explain everything you wish to. So get started on it, please," she assured him.

"Thanks a lot. That relieves my mind on that score. For you have always borne the reputation of keeping your word," he answered.

"So it's like I expected. You came here hunting for me!" she raised her voice to a high, excited pitch.

"I did," he confessed. "But not to cause you any harm."

"Do you think I am so easy as to swallow that?" she demanded. "I'm denying nothing to you. For I know that you know who I am and what I did. But whether you ever leave that spot alive is an optional matter with me. You knew when you came into these mountains to capture me that I had killed one man. So you took the risk with full knowledge of the danger. Did you not?"

"I knew you believed you had killed a man. But he did not die. And that is what I came to tell you!" calmly elucidated our hero.

"If I knew that were true, I would go back and finish up the job!" And a flash of terrible hatred shown in her azure eyes.

"If I would show you a sworn affidavit from the physician that attended him in his last illness, last summer when he died, to that effect, would you believe it?" he asked.

"It would be an easy matter to fix up a sham of that sort to get me back. But let me remind you not to attempt to put your hand in your pocket," she returned.

"But I have proof of it all here with me—the marriage license of your sister Nellie and my brother Victor Underwood. I have..." But he was interrupted by a shriek of agony from the woman who had appeared so incapable of emotion before.

"My God! Surely you do not mean to tell me that my sister was lawfully married to that man I shot for..." Here overwhelming emotion choked her voice.

"I do mean just them. And have the license along with me, showing they were legally recorded. You know one couldn't get a thing like that done to capture somebody. When a County official puts his stamp upon a document, it is real."

The gun which had been so menacingly leveled at his head a moment before, was now lowered. And deathly white and violently trembling, the lady refugee of those mountains sank limply down upon the ground.

"Bring all the proof you have here," she told him between suppressed sobs. And a moment later, he was seated upon the ground by her side.

Without a word, he handed her the marriage license.

"Thank God!" she moaned, as she read the unmistakable proof of her sister's marriage. "This knowledge compensates me for all these years of misery and seclusion!"

"Miss Duncan, you will be glad to know that my brother took his little daughter, and lavished upon her all the love and wealth at his command until his death. Mother and I have kept her since," Vernon Underwood—Kansas City's most noted detective—told her in a voice very tender in its accents.

"Mr. Underwood, I am so sorry of what I did—but you surely understood what I thought," she began apologetically.

"No one—not even Victor, himself—ever blamed you. In fact, he devoted his life, from the time it happened, until he died trying to find you. So you might escape the curse of going through life, feeling that a crime rested upon your soul. My ambition had always been for sleuth work, so I took up your trail twelve years ago, and have been working upon the slight clues you left behind you ever since. But after Victor died I felt impelled to find you," he leisurely explained.

"And to think I came so near killing you!" she broke down sobbing out the tempest of grief stored there

for so many years.

"Priscilla, little girl, I meant to keep a secret until some future time another reason why I have searched half the globe over for you. But I cannot do it. I must know without further suspense whether the fond dreams I have cherished so long are to ever come true. I fell in love with your portrait, when Nellie first showed it to me, soon after her secret marriage to my brother. And I have carried the image of your face in my heart ever since. But wait—don't give me your answer until you have seen me. I disguised a little for fear you might mistake me for Victor. You see we were twins, and in our younger days, few people, who were not well acquainted with us, could tell us apart."

With speechless amazement, she watched him remove, one by one, the articles of disguise—nose-putty, false mustache and gold-rimmed glasses. Then a blandly smiling and altogether handsome individual looked, with eyes of love, into hers and whispered: "Sweetheart, I am waiting for your answer!"

"Yes, I'll marry you," she stammeringly replied. "That way neither of us will have to be separated from my sister's and your brother's little girl, who is equally near and dear to us both. And then I can see that you very much favor Prince Charming, that I used to have girlish visions about—before I became a fugitive from the law. Of course, I never allowed romance to enter my heart after the terrible tragedy that followed my sister's death. But I always knew that somewhere in the world, the one man I could love, was tall and straight, with soft brown eyes and wavy brown hair. Now won't you tell me your first name?"

"Vernon," he replied laughing. "Our romance has been different in most all particulars from others. For few men, indeed, fall in love with a woman's picture and chase her twelve years before he ever sees her. Rarely, too, do women promise to marry a man without first learning his full name."

THESE I HAVE LOVED.

I have loved leafy silence of the wood—
The first shy flowers of the early spring;
Old fields that dreamed in reminiscent mood
Of days of planting and of harvest-ing.

I keep the image of a river's blue
Enchanting length—its clean and pebbly shore;
Tall, somber cliffs that looked as if they knew
The meaning of earth's mysteries and lore.

And I have loved a lonely road that led
To haunts re-echoing notes of whip-poorwill.
The fragrance that old fashioned roses shed,
And sheep that grazed upon a cool, green hill.

—MARGARET E. BRUNER in
March KALEIDOGRAPH.

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SAN ANTONIO LIVESTOCK.

Monday, July 22.

Continued heavy supplies in the cattle division failed to materially affect price levels Monday in the San Antonio livestock market. Trading was active on good calves, light yearlings, canner and cutter cows and on good beef bulls. Shippers and order buyers were on hand in numbers and good quality shipping stuff was in demand. Best calves and light yearlings sold readily up to \$6.25. Canner and cutter cows moved out to packers at \$1.75 to \$2.75 but plain butchers and in-between grades were draggy. Good fat butchers sold around \$4.00 to \$4.25 with \$4.50 paid sparingly for choice individuals by small killers. Good beef bulls brought \$4.00 and \$4.25. A few good stocker steer yearlings changed owners at steady rates.

Choice 175-250 pound truck hogs gained 25 cents to equal the five-year record top of \$9.25. Medium and heavyweights cashed readily up to \$8.50. The demand for feeder pigs at \$6.00 to \$7.00 continued heavy.

The sheep market again went untested. No good lambs were received for market and one package of wethers sold readily at \$2.75. No goats were offered.

Receipts and quotations Monday were:

Cattle, 694 head; calves, 685 head. Quotations: calves, common and rannies, \$2.50 @ 3.50; general spread of calves, \$3.75 @ 5.00; better kinds to choice, \$5.25 @ 6.25; common to medium grass steers, \$3.00 @ 4.00; better kinds, \$4.25 @ 5.00; canner and cutter cows, \$1.75 @ 2.75; plain butcher cows, \$3.00 @ 3.50; good and fat, \$3.75 @ 4.50; butcher bulls, \$3.00 @ 3.50; beef bulls, \$3.75 @ 4.25.

Hogs, 95 head; choice 175-250 pounds, \$9.25; medium and heavyweights, \$7.00 @ 8.50; light and feeder pigs, \$6.00 @ 7.00.

Sheep, 163 head; good to choice milk lambs, \$5.00 @ 6.00; wethers, \$2.25 @ 2.75; goats, general run, \$1.25 @ 1.75; choice fatts, \$2.00.

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CHANGE IN FREIGHT RATE ON SHEEP.

Effective July 15th, 1935, interstate carloads of fat sheep, not feeders or stockers, may be stopped at the San Antonio public livestock market for the purpose of trying the market and/or sorting, and with or without change of ownership, may be forwarded from the market to ranch, farm or feed lot interstate at the through rate from point of origin to destination, thus effecting a saving in transportation costs, and benefiting South and West Texas areas.

This change is commonly referred to as the restoration of the market privilege rule with change of ownership, which was abolished in 1932, and while same applies now to fat sheep only, it is rather anticipated that in the near future the rule may be extended to include cattle, according to Jas. A. Gallagher, General Manager of the Union Stock Yards of San Antonio.

"It's funny to what extent these movie actresses will go for publicity."

"Yes, I see where one even died the other day."

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36-45	.12 1/2	.25	.37 1/2	.50	.62 1/2	.75	.87 1/2	1.00	1.12 1/2	1.25
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LACOSTE LEDGERETTES.

From the LaCoste Ledger—

Albert Reus from Hondo was a LaCoste visitor last Saturday.

Joe H. Tondre was a visitor here Tuesday.

Louis Lessing, Jr., from Macdonia was a LaCoste visitor last Saturday.

Robert McKaig of San Antonio is visiting relatives here this week.

H. W. Keller from the Sauz was a business visitor here Tuesday.

John Gries from Castroville was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Richard Wanjura from Lytle was a LaCoste visitor Tuesday.

John Tragesser from Castroville was a LaCoste visitor Wednesday.

Eugene Bohl, proprietor of Bohl's Rottling Co. at Devine, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. R. Loessberg from Delta were LaCoste visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Biediger from Spindletop and Mrs. Frank A. Bohl and Joseph Hutzler were at New Braunfels Wednesday for the convention of the Texas State League.

Mrs. H. F. Franzer and Miss Julia Trip from Macdonia were visitors here Monday.

Mrs. H. V. Haass, Jr., and son of Castroville were short visitors here last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Burell from Castroville were LaCoste visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Cletus A. Batto and baby from Tarpley are visiting homefolks here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Christilles were visiting relatives at Castroville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Trip and children from San Antonio were visitors here Sunday.

Judge and Mrs. R. J. Noonan from Hondo were LaCoste visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schmidt, Mrs. Wm. Zinsmeyer and son and Mrs. Cletus A. Batto and son were San Antonio visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hellums and sons left Tuesday morning on a week's vacation trip to points out West.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Geiger were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tschirhart, Jr., at Bader Settlement last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Mechler and children of the Sauz spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mangold and sons at Cliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul N. Biediger and family from San Antonio were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Biediger and family here Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Geiger and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tschirhart and son at Noonan one evening the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Keller and sons and Miss Mary Ellen and Harry McKaig were San Antonio visitors last Friday.

The following were the guests at a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mangold of Devine given in honor of their son Patrick's confirmation, Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mangold, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Biediger, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Biediger and children, Mrs. Catherine Iltis, Edward and Charles Biediger and Miss Gladys Geiger of LaCoste, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Mechler and family from the Sauz and A. H. Biediger of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Biediger and sons, J. C. Jr., and Thomas, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Elmdorf and Mrs. Annie Warren in San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Sauer from Brackettville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Geiger and family here and of Miss L. Kose Haass at Noonan last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Helena Keller and daughter, Miss Octavia, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Keller and son were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emil Elmdorf in San Antonio Tuesday evening.

Mesdames R. P. Geiger and Julius Abr and son, C. J., from here and Robt. Mechler and daughter, Miss Doris, from the Sauz were San Antonio visitors last week Thursday.

Messrs. Fritz Weiblen and son, Herbert, and Alvin Bippert from the Sauz, Chas. Suehs from Castroville and Walter Geiger from here took a trip to Houston Monday.

Messrs. Paul F. and D. J. Christilles and W. F. Biediger from here and Chas. Suehs and son, Eugene, from Castroville took a pleasure trip to Del Rio and the Pecos high bridge Sunday. They report a fine trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Stinson from Riomedina, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mangold and nieces, Misses Marjorie Salzman and Frances Mechler from Cliff, were at Macdonia for the Club Dance last Saturday.

Mrs. Edmund Geyer and daughter,

Mrs. Otto Mann, from Goldfinch were visiting Mrs. Josephine Biediger here Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Biediger, who will visit with them this week.

Miss Alice Bush and Albert Rask of San Antonio were LaCoste visitors Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lee Bush, who has been staying in San Antonio for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hawkes and children, Lee Marion and Ina, spent a pleasant vacation with their parents here and their brothers and sisters at Matamoros, Eagle Pass, Spofford and Del Rio, and returning to their home at Torcer, Texas, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Kieber and daughters from Hondo, Mrs. Avery Hall and daughter from San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zinsmeyer and son were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schmidt and Mrs. Cletus A. Batto and baby here Sunday.

Mesdames Wm. R. Keller, Annie Lessing and Alfred Keller, Misses Myrtle Bohl and Rachel Mangold and Messrs. George Echtle and son, Henry, and Bernard Hutzler left here Tuesday morning for New Braunfels, where they are attending the Convention of the Texas State League of Catholic Societies as delegates of St. George Society, St. Ann's Society and Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Mary's Parish, LaCoste. The convention will close Thursday evening.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hans E. Ziegenbalg, a bouncing baby boy, July 13th. Mother and son are doing fine and daddy is wearing a broad smile. This newly born is the 13th grandchild and first grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ziegenbalg, to carry the name Ziegenbalg. Both grandpa and Grandma Ziegenbalg are past their 75th year.

Mesdames E. J. Trip and daughter, Miss Julia, Joe O. Jackel and Henry Nentwich, Misses Louisa and Emma Lessing from Macdonia, Mesdames H. F. Franzer, R. J. Mangold and daughter, Miss Rachel, and Otto P. Jungman from here attended a tea at the Tourist Club, 607 North St. Mary's St., sponsored by the cake and chicken demonstrators of the Rural Clubs of Bexar County from 3:00 to 5:00 P. M. last Friday, and report a very enjoyable evening.

AN AMAZING STORY.

Everybody be quiet now while I relate the amazing story that has just been read around the world. Parts of this story happened over in France; parts of it occurred in the voting precincts of our own country, and parts of it in Congress at Washington where our laws are supposed to be made Democratically for the masses, instead of for the few.

Back in 1917 about four million American boys were mobilized for war service. Over two millions were sent to France to do a dirty and bloody job over there, in which 350,000 were slain, wounded or died, but they did their job.

When the war was over the remaining soldiers came back wounded, footsore and sickened at the horrors they had seen. They felt like they had not been paid as much for their services as had been paid the people who stayed at home at easy jobs and good salaries. So, the boys asked Congress to figure up what was due them for back salaries and give them their just pay.

Congress, after much delay agreed that a considerable sum was due them, and promised to pay them in 1945. This was a very unsatisfactory delay to them, but they had to make the best of it and receive Certificates to that effect.

Later an election came on and the boys and their friends at the polls voted out many of the old set and elected a new set of Congressmen who promised to give the boys a square deal. The boys were encouraged. When Congress met in January last, one of the boys, who himself had been a soldier, introduced House Bill No. 1, which had for its object not only the present payment to the boys themselves of their back dues, but it aimed also to stop money lenders from collecting immense sums of interest on all money paid out for Government expense.

The Bill passed in the lower house overwhelmingly as it should have been done by loyal representatives of the people. This was the third time such a Bill had been passed by the Lower House. When the Bill was carried up to the Senate, it was passed there by a heavy majority. Thus far Democracy had won.

In response to millions of letters and telegrams, both Senators and Representatives all realized that their people back home wanted the bill passed, and in Democratic spirit, voted accordingly. But the President had to vote for the bill before it could become a law, and he wouldn't vote for it. Said the boys were not due anything until 1945. This was a gross insult to the host of ex-soldiers. They felt hurt. The President could have prevented it; eight Senators could have prevented it.

The vote in the Lower House was large enough to make the Bill a law without the vote of the President, but the majority in the Senate was not quite enough to pass the bill without his signature. Just a few Senators wanted to vote like the President, and on two previous occasions they, and the President to-

gether had been disloyal enough to kill this bill in defiance of the people's wishes.

Are we a Democracy? The Bill was killed for the third time by a few Senators who wanted to vote like the President, and the sad news went back to the boys and their patient families at home. They and their friends were sorrowful and some were so discouraged they actually committed suicide. They were so distressed at the rebuff from the President and a few Senators in refusing their just dues for their families in distress.

But their friends advised them to compose themselves and not commit any rash act now, but wait until next election when the disloyal President and Senators could be given proper consideration for such acts.

The President is known to be partially paralyzed in parts of his body, and some think this weakness has perhaps extended up to his brain and prevents him from seeing clearly his duty. Others think the President and some of those Senators are employed by bond-holders and interest-takers and being more friendly to them are thus kept from serving the people as they should. In either case they will probably be remembered at the polls in 1936.

Today we are a Nation in mourning as a result of this ungrateful affront to its people. They will probably never become reconciled. A people sometimes become aroused and resentful. Their long suffering sometimes reaches the limit. We shall wait and see.

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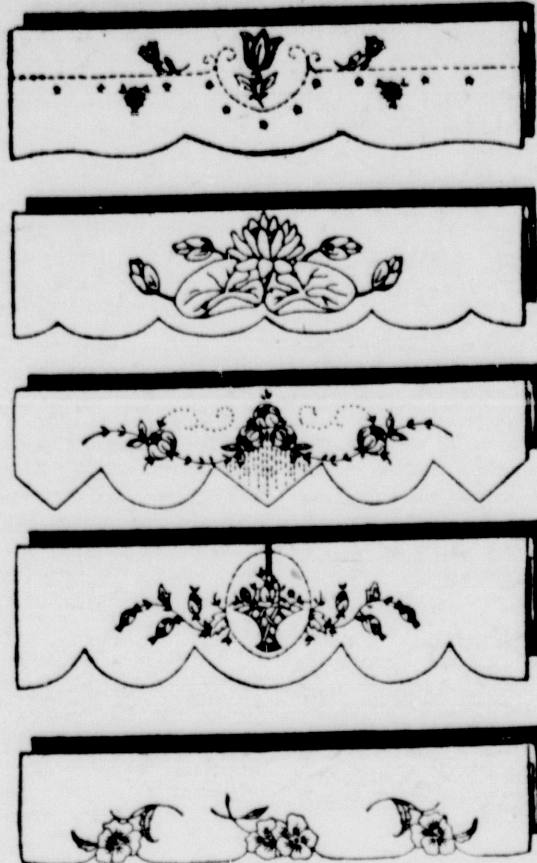
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B. J. Hattox and wife to W. B. Gebrels, warranty deed to 10 acres of land out of Survey No. 14, D. Lewis, known as Phil Hattox homeplace. Consideration \$1760.00.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to Martin Aguinaga, warranty deed to 10 acres of land out of M. W. Dikes Original Survey No. 27, lying between Chicon Creek and Mills Road. Consideration \$500.00.

The Wheeler Kelly and Hagny Investment Company to Houston Lively, general warranty deed to 16.27 acres out of John Hardin Survey No. 35 1-2 and M. W. Dikes Survey No. 27. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Albert and Alvin Mumme to Heirs of Mrs. Katie Mumme deceased, warranty deed to all right, title and interest in 71 1-2 acres of land out of Survey No. 110, N. Pichot. \$1.00 and other consideration.

The Federal Land Bank of Houston to M. P. Crouch, general warranty deed to 131 2-3 acres of land out of N. W. part of Survey No. 7, Caleb Kemp. \$263.20 and other consideration.

Albert Reitzer and wife to R. G. Stark, warranty deed to Lot No. 6, Block No. 1, out of David Harvey Survey No. 20. Consideration \$25.

Frank Sutherland to John T. Briscoe, Jr., warranty deed to 40 acres of land off of the north end of 160 acre tract known as the South one-half of Sec. 2, Cert. 20, B. F. and I. M. Co. \$10.00 and other consideration.

John Sutherland to John T. Briscoe, Jr., warranty deed to 14.3 acres of land out of L. M. Colard Survey No. 97, and I. & G. N. R. R. Survey No. 4-17. \$50.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

John T. Briscoe, Jr., to John Sutherland, warranty deed to 40 acres of land out of 160 acre tract known as South one-half of Sec. 2, Cert. 20, B. F. & L. M. Co. \$10.00 and other consideration.

Joe Riff and wife to Mrs. Lina Fuos, deed to 169 acres out of Survey No. 225, H. E. & W. T. R. R. Co., and 8.75 acres out of Survey No. 226, State. \$1.00 and other consideration.

Mrs. Lina Fuos and husband, C. H. Fuos, to Joe Riff, deed to 113 acres out of Survey No. 249, H. E. & W. T. R. Co., and 64.75 acres out of Survey No. 189 1-2, M. Gonzales. \$1.00 and other consideration.

George A. Kennedy and wife to Allie K. Kennedy, warranty deed to 312 1-2 acres out of Ross Kennedy Survey No. 399 and D. Polk Survey No. 400. Consideration \$1.00.

Caroline Spellman to Vera Brantley, warranty deed to 117 acres out of M. Lavitre Survey No. 801. Consideration \$10.00 and love and affection.

R. J. Noonan to Ernest Keeling, warranty deed to 20 acres out of 40 acre tract out of Section 2, Cert. No. 20, B. F. I. & M. Co., Jos. Wilson Survey. Consideration \$250.00.

Ernest Keeling to Acme Life Insurance Company, warranty deed to 20 acres out of a 40 acre tract, Sec. 2, Cert. No. 20, B. F. I. & M. Co., Jos. Wilson Survey. Consideration \$700.00.

Acme Life Insurance Co. to United Fidelity Life Insurance Company, warranty deed to 20 acres out of a 40 acre tract of Sec. 2, Cert. No. 20, B. F. I. & M. Co., Jos. Wilson Survey. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to Eloise Crawford, warranty deed to 28.57 acres out of Jac. Steinhart Original Survey No. 500 and J. Lutenbacher Original Survey No. 516. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Mrs. Sadie Hutzler to Jacob Reily, warranty deed to 21 feet and 7 1-2 inches off of west side of Lot No. 13, Block No. 21, fronting on South Front Street, in town of Hondo. \$2000.00 and other consideration.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to Wilbur H. Jones, general warranty deed to 10 acres, out of John Degant Survey No. 31 and A. Campbell Survey No. 447; 54.44 acres out of John Degant Survey No. 31 and A. Campbell Survey No. 447. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Geo. A. Kennedy and wife to Jane K. Owens, warranty deed to 6607 acres of land in Uvalde and Medina Counties, out of Surveys Nos. 888, A. B. & M.; 190, John Kennedy, Assee.; 1003, John Cervantes; 88 and 86, L. A. Patillo; 595, Texas Central Ry. Co.; 1051, Jos. Smith; 189, A. C. H. & B.; 1063, Jesus Flores; and 1038 acres out of Survey No. 887, Vincent Grabbail and out of V. A. Johnson Ranch in Medina County. \$1.00 and other valuable consideration.

Thos. W. Masterson to Frank P. Seekatz, warranty deed to 4.50 acres out of Survey No. 20, Dave Harvey, on west side of Medina Lake. \$10.00 and other consideration.

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W. D. Atkins, warranty deed to 5.52 acres, being out of G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. Original Survey No. 58. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Frances M. Wurzbach, Indv. and as Ind. Executrix of the Estate of Henry F. Wurzbach, dec'd., to Henry H. Bryant, deed to 200 acres of land out of Louis Brown Survey No. 34 1-2. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Frances M. Wurzbach, Indv. and as Ind. Executrix of the Estate of Henry F. Wurzbach, dec'd., to Bryant Stock Farm, Inc., deed to 2075 acres, in Counties of Bexar and Medina, being 463 acres out of Survey No. 34 1-2, Louis Brown; 580 acres out of Survey No. 33, John Fitzgerald; 14 acres out of Survey No. 34 3-4, Ed. de Montel; 300 acres, out of Survey No. 367, Sarah Tyler; 130 acres out of Survey No. 207 1-2, P. V. de Rubio; 370 acres out of Survey No. 207, C. C. S. D. & R. G. Ry. Co.; 160 acres out of Survey No. 301 1-2, Catarion Castro; 58 acres out of Survey No. 101, Roberto Carasco. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Medina Irrigated Farms to H. V. Wheeler, general warranty deed to 728.94 acres, comprising lots or parts of lots in Subdivision of Lands held by Trustees of the San Antonio Trust. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

J. M. Bandy and wife to Daniel McCrea, warranty deed to parcel of land out of Survey No. 860, T. Montier. Consideration \$250.00.

H. C. Glover and wife to H. F. Schumann, warranty deed to 167 acres, being 160 acres out of Survey No. 35, Martin Nester, and 7 acres out of Survey No. 33 1-2, Gabriel Petty. Valuable consideration.

C. A. Oefinger, et al, to L. E. Kollman, warranty deed to north halves of Lots Nos. 6 and 7, Block No. 3, in town of Hondo. Consideration \$700.00.

G. D. Whitfield to Henry Bendele, warranty deed to Lot No. 8, Block No. 13, of Hattox Addition to town of Devine. Consideration, cancellation of \$2500.00 promissory note.

J. M. Finger to First National Bank, general warranty deed to 111 acres of land known as Survey No. 93, John Fohn; 28 acres out of Survey No. 118 1-2, P. May; 301 acres out of Survey No. 159, C. C. S. D. & R. G. N. Ry. Co.; 320 acres known as Survey No. 161, John Fohn. \$1.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Mollie de Montel Haass and husband, H. E. Haass, to Chas. W. Suehs, warranty deed to 9 acres of land out of Elizabeth Hughes Survey No. 43, one mile north of Castroville. Consideration \$90.00.

Heirs of Paulina de Montel Taylor, dec'd., to Chas. W. Suehs, warranty deed to 30 acres out of old Survey No. 50, A. Quinones and new Survey No. 43, Chas. de Montel. Consideration \$900.00.

FORMER RESIDENT BURIED HERE THURSDAY.

The body of Mrs. Susie Ann Wallace, 78, who died in Houston at 3 P. M. Tuesday, July 23, was brought to Hondo by train Wednesday evening, and funeral services were held just before noon Thursday, July 25, from the Hoyer Funeral Home. Rev. R. W. Merrill, pastor of the local Baptist church, officiated. Interment was made in the Oakwood Cemetery by the side of the deceased's husband, who preceded her in death several years ago.

Mrs. Wallace was born in Birmingham, Alabama, September 10, 1857, and at the age of two years came to Texas with her parents. She resided at San Felipe, Texas, until her marriage to Mr. John W. Wallace in 1893. She united with the Baptist church when a young woman. For a number of years the deceased with her husband and children resided near Hondo on the old Stone place. Death came following a long illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John M. McCoy, of Houston.

Deceased is survived by two daughters, Mrs. McCoy of Houston and Mrs. Roy Stone of San Marcos; one brother, R. W. Thompson, of Bellville, Texas; and by five grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. McCoy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stone and children, and Mr. Thompson, and Mr. Stone's sister, Mrs. C. W. Martindale, of Martindale were among the out-of-town relatives and friends to attend the funeral here.

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By Mrs. Mary L. Ballew.

My neighbor has a large collection of flowers and nursery stock which cost her only a few cents for postage.

She put a small ad in the paper offering to exchange for other flowers, shrubs and plants and in a few weeks' time she had traded several hundreds of her plants for a like number of others. She received every variety she could make use of including garden seed and young trees. The appearance of her home has been greatly improved and she said she found many good friends in this pleasant task.

LOSS.

I loved the whipping frenzy
Of blankets on a line,
Of beaten rugs and sudsy floors
And pans scrubbed to a shine.

I loved to storm the closets
And burrow deep in chests,
And set the pillows out to sun
And watch birds build their nests.

To tapestry the gleaming walls,
And spatter paint and lime;
O, spring turned drudgery to dreams,
In that small kingdom-mine.

This year I watch the months go by,
With empty, idle hand;
And only they who've wrought with
spring

Can ever understand.
—RUTH GLOVER.

SPRING IS HERE TO STAY.

I'm so glad that winter's over
And spring is here to stay,
For I love the golden sunshine,
And all the flowers gay,
I'm so glad the birds are singing,
And zephyrs come my way.

I'm so glad that winter's over
And spring is here to stay;
For I've found a happy maiden
And call her, "Queen of May."
I have crowned her, too, with daisies,
Upon a throne, in play.

—A. S. DRAPER.

SOFTBALL

LEAGUE STANDING.

Leinweber's Lions	1	0	.100
Sinclair Dinosaurs	1	0	.100
Grell's Comedians	1	0	.100
Red & White Specials	0	1	.000
H-H Hot Shots	0	1	.000
Plaza Cafe Rustlers	0	1	.000

Girls Teams

Palle's Pullets	1	0	.100
Fly's Swatters	0	1	.000

SOFTBALL LEAGUE RESULTS

The first games of the softball league played on the newly lighted diamond furnished the large crowd of spectators plenty amusement.

Leinweber's Lions and the Red & White Specials met in the initial game of the league Wednesday night, the Lions winning by the lop-sided score of 17 to 9.

Batteries were: Abbott and Neuman for the Lions; Rath and Fusselman for the Specials.

The Sinclair Dinosaurs defeated the H-H Hot Shots 12 to 10 in the second game. Batteries: Montel, R. Schweers and Grant for the Dinosaurs; Bradley, Smith and Rihn for the Hot Shots.

Thursday night Grell's Comedians took the opening game from the Plaza Cafe Rustlers by the close score of 13 to 12, Oefinger pitching and Steigler catching for the Comedians; B. Schweers and Lamb hurling and Jimmy Bradley catching for the Rustlers.

The fair sex furnished the entertainment in the second game, with Palle's Pullets scratching their way to a 15 to 13 decision over Fly's Swatters. Batteries were: Hettie Nester, Jo Reily and Gladys Fusselman for the Pullets; Cameron and Garber for the Swatters.

Umpires: Dr. Taylor and Dr. Meyer. Scorer, Harry Filleman.

W. P. A. OFFICE AT UVALDE.

An important preliminary step in the establishment here at Uvalde of a district Works Progress Administration office was completed this week with the naming of the staff of the local office, as announced by Arthur Hazelrigg, District Director.

The staff, in addition to Hazelrigg, will include W. E. Watson of Uvalde as assistant director; R. D. McCrum, Austin, Supervisor of Finance and Reports; J. H. Breeding of Cotulla, Supervisor of Labor and Management; F. R. Cromwell of Calvert, Examining Engineer; Miss Esther Bonnett of Eagle Pass, Supervisor of Intake and Certification, and Mrs. Berta Malone, Uvalde, Supervisor of Women's Work. There are yet one or two other places to be filled, but the announcement of the appointments to these places will not be made until a future date.

Headquarters of District No. 15 will be located here, the district comprising the counties of Uvalde, Val Verde, Edwards, Real, Kinney, Medina, Maverick, Zavala, Frio, Dimmit and LaSalle.

Temporary offices are located in the Anderson Building, but as soon as necessary equipment arrives, permanent offices will be established in the Smyth Building.

It will probably be two or three weeks before this office will be ready to consider projects. At a future date we will conduct a series of meetings at which the workings of the

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WPA will be explained to county delegations, Hazelrigg stated this week. Each county will be notified as to the date on which it is to send a delegation.

"However, it will be perhaps two to three weeks before any projects can be started and it will save time and trouble for all concerned if projects are not mentioned for the time being.

"Red-tape has been reduced to an absolute minimum, but thorough precautions must be taken in the distribution of the approximately \$50,000,000 allotted to Texas out of the \$4,800,000,000 fund.

"It is the object of the WPA to ultimately transfer all able-bodied and employable relief clients from relief rolls to actual construction work projects.

"Adam R. Johnson, State Relief Director, struck the keynote last week when he said that the government doesn't owe everyone a living, but it does owe everyone an opportunity.

"The primary object of the WPA is to put men to work. In other words, the government is going out of the relief business, and every person who has been on relief rolls is now on his own responsibility, and it will be up to him to show that he is capable.

Since it will likely be three or four weeks before any of the WPA projects get under way, we are urging anyone who is offered a job elsewhere to accept it and not wait for the projects to start. Acceptance of a job elsewhere will not affect the status of a relief roll client. In other words, if a person shows a willingness to work, it will better his chances for obtaining work on the projects to be started later," Hazelrigg declared.

TARPLEY COUPLE WEDS.

John E. Tucker and Miss Vera Spott, young people of the Tarpley community, were married Saturday afternoon, July 20th, with Justice of the Peace H. V. Haass performing the ceremony. This paper joins their Medina County friends in extending congratulations and best wishes.

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—FRANK A. LYDIC.

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Sabinal	7	4	.635
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LaCoste	0	11	.000

Last Sunday's Results.

1st game, D'Hanis 11, LaCoste 7.
2nd game, D'Hanis 9, LaCoste 7.
Sabinal 6, Knippa 2.

Games Next Sunday.

Knippa at Hondo (Double-Header)
LaCoste at Sabinal.

NOTICE.

The regular meeting of the local Chapter of the Future Farmers of America will be held at the school building Friday night, July 26th. All members and all other boys who plan to enter the vocational agriculture class this September are requested to be present.

SECRETARY F. F. A.

LOST OR STRAYED.

One dark bay horse mule, about 15 hands high, weighing about 950 lbs., large collar mark on each shoulder. This mule is the property of U. S. Rehabilitation client; finder please notify Rural Rehabilitation Office, Phone 100. 8tc.

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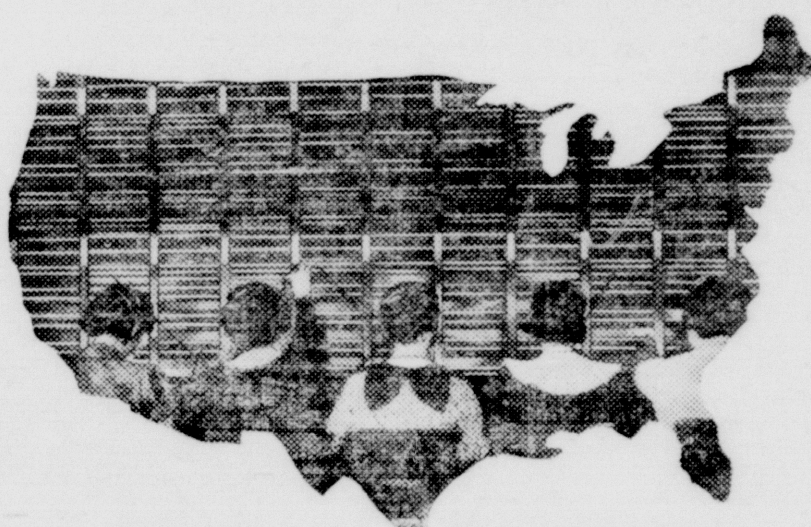
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D'Hanis Doings

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Josie Rothe

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, JULY 24, 1935

MORE WATER AT D'HANIS.

Steady rain, varying from 5 to 11 inches in this vicinity, again brought water to flood level Wednesday morning. Both the Seco and Parkers Creeks were swollen, and back water from the former filled basements in the business section. Especial damage was noted on highway and railway, but loss to individuals is not to be compared with that of May 31.

Many citizens have voiced their satisfaction over the enlarged bridge on the track just east of the R. R. station, for this opening now allows the water to flow more freely to lower ground at a point where it was formerly dammed up by high damps. The Hondo Fire Department was busy Wednesday evening, pumping water out of basements. Tracks were repaired as to allow trains to pass through the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nester have been guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nester. Roy is in the employ of the S. P. Railroad, repairing signals along this line.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Brod have moved from the farm, and are occupying the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Koch, who are living at Hondo.

Mrs. Dora Behrens of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Stopper, Mr. and Mrs. August Brotze, Mr. and Mrs. Hilmar Brotze, and Miss Laura Brotze of Converse were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reinhart Wednesday. Mrs. Behrens is remaining for a week's visit.

Guests of Mrs. Lizzie Ney are her daughters, Mrs. Stanley Smith of San Antonio and Mrs. Pierce Stacy of Houston.

Mrs. Joe Reilly of Sabinal spent Friday here, the guest of relatives.

Mr. Joe Carle, Mr. and Mrs. Ed.

ANVIL SPARKS.

Continued from first page.

lawyers to cheat justice. We are against it.

6. FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas abolishing the fee system of compensating all district officers, and all county officers in counties having a population of 20,000 or more; and authorizing the Commissioner's Court to determine whether county officers and precinct officers in counties containing less than 20,000 population may be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis.

AGAINST, etc. The man who pays a "fee" now pays for a service rendered or a privilege granted to him; the effect of this amendment will be to lift the burden from the beneficiary and place it on the taxpayers as a whole. We are against it.

7. FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas permitting the furnishing of free text books to every child of scholastic age attending any school within this state.

AGAINST, etc. This Amendment not only takes another long step into state socialism, but invites a partnership of "church and state"; from the standpoint of Democratic government it is vicious in the extreme. If the people of Texas are wise, and especially those who cherish their denominational schools, they will have none of it. We shall vote against this Amendment.

Every good citizen owes a duty to understand the proposals and to vote intelligently thereon. We challenge anyone to show that the above objections are not valid and that they justify the rejection of the six Amendments as named.

Study them for yourself; and do your duty.

CONFIDENCE MUST PRECEDE RECOVERY.

"If business confidence could be added to the enormous accumulated shortage of goods and constructive waiting to be made up and to great supplies of idle credit seeking investment, we should have recovery in this country," said Colonel Leonard E. Ayres, vice-president of Cleveland Trust Company, in a recent issue of his monthly review of business.

Colonel Ayres might also have said that the basis of confidence is security—and that is exactly what the country lacks. Fear of high taxes, fear of stifling legislation, fear of political domination of industry—these are similar fears are creating insecurity, and are an unsurmountable barrier to the return of confidence.

It is a noteworthy fact that the nearest thing the country has witnessed in the way of a revival of lost confidence followed the Supreme Court's historic decisions on the NRA, the Railway Pension, and therazier-Lenke mortgage moratorium cases. Business leaders, investors and the public at large felt again that the Constitution still lived, and that its safeguards still protected them. If we could now have an assurance from high official sources that the

Finger and son, Edward, and Mrs. Arnold Finger attended the Catholic State League at New Braunfels Wednesday.

Mrs. Edgar Ney of Corpus Christi is the guest of her father, Mr. Henry Wernette.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Koch and family are again occupying their home, which was severely damaged by the flood of last May, and which has now been repaired.

SOCIAL CLUB.

Mrs. O. J. Reinhart charmingly entertained members of the Social Club and other guests at her home Saturday afternoon. In the games of bridge Mrs. Henry Muennink won the high score among members and Miss Sarah Rothe among guests; consolation prize went to Miss Lena Reinhart, and low score prize to Mrs. Reilly Carle. The hostess served delicious refreshments to Mesdames Louis Carle, Jr., W. E. Albrecht, M. A. Zinsmeyer, Henry Muennink, Will Nehr, Reilly Carle, Charles Finger, John Rieber, Will Grimsinger, Misses Josie, Lucy, Sarah, and Melvera Rothe, and Lena Reinhart.

CARD PARTY.

The following were joint hostesses in the Parish Hall Sunday evening at a benefit card party: Mesdames Teresa Ney, Henry Weynand, Ferdie Koch, Louis Carle, Jr., and Ed. Keller. Prizes were won as follows: rook, Mrs. Alvina Koch and Mr. Joe Koch; high five, Mrs. August Brown and Martin Ney; bridge, Mrs. Ed. Finger and Mr. Eric Rothe; bunco, Kathryn Holiday and Donald Albrecht; entrance, Rev. E. Zuber, Mrs. Wallace Lutz, Henry Weynand, Charles Langfeld, Wallace Lutz, James Richter, and Vivian Biry.

government will abide by the spirit as well as the letter of these decisions, and will attempt no more experiments at the expense of already overburdened business, there would be a real wave of confidence—and recovery would follow in its wake.—Industrial News Review.

A BULWARK OF CONSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT.

It has often been said that the greatest safeguard to liberty and constitutional government in the United States, is the country press. No nation is so well covered with local newspapers.

The thousands of publishers of these local papers generally own and edit their own publications. They are independent and express their own opinions. They are among our highest type of citizens and have a thorough understanding of the principles upon which our government is founded, regardless of their party beliefs. In the great majority they are broadminded enough to put the welfare of the nation and security for life, liberty and property ahead of any party prejudices.

That is why the country press of the United States is the greatest champion of the rights and liberties of all the people, as set forth in the fundamental law of our land.

If anyone doubts this, he has only to read the editorial comment of editors from the four corners of the nation today. To illustrate, the editor of the News, published in the typical country town of Ruskin, Nebraska, in his issue of June 13, in commenting on the growing tax bills and bureaucratic tendencies in government, says:

"We say, look out! When you get more than half the people on the federal, state, county, municipal or other public payroll, then you are going to have bureaucracy right, both at home and in Washington. As we have said before, it is not just what we are doing now, but the direction in which we are heading that counts."—Industrial News Review.

THE LONG SUFFERING MOTORIST.

The motorist is a helpless victim of taxation because there is no practical substitute for gasoline.

For almost any other commodity the consumer can use a substitute.

But when it comes to gasoline, it's pay the tax or stop driving.

The states started taxing gasoline "moderately" but, as with all special taxes, the gas tax soon became exorbitant.

Then the federal government decided to take its pound of flesh from the motorist.

Motorists have it in their power to demand a reduction of exorbitant gas taxes, including the actual re-

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peal of the federal gas tax.

They also have the right to demand that gasoline taxes be not used for other than road purposes.

When taxes run from 25 to 50 per cent of the retail price of any article, as the gasoline tax does, it is high time to correct the abuse.—Industrial News Review.

TEXAS FARM WOMEN SHORT COURSE.

Plans are nearly completed for five days of elaborate program for the farm women of Texas at the Farmers' Short Course, July 28 through August 2, it was announced by Miss Onah Jacks, Extension specialist, and chairman of the women's program committee.

Outstanding speakers, demonstrations, laboratory work, and recreation will be the keynote of the women's program this year.

Miss Margaret Furry, textile chemist from the division of textiles and clothing, Department of Agriculture and Bureau of Home Economics, Washington, D. C., has accepted an invitation to take charge of a series of laboratory demonstrations on "Natural Dyes and How to Use Them".

Dr. Samuel E. Gideon, professor of architectural design and history from the University of Texas at Austin, will speak on the program of Housing and Home Improvement which varies from architecture to landscaping and interior decorating.

Some of the demonstrations will be on: Making Soil and Potting Plants; Making Purses and Moccasins; Repairing and Painting Farm Houses; Cleaning Fine Fabrics; Wool Scouring; Control of Rose Pests; Attractive Touches to Bedrooms; Interior Decorating; and many other phases of farm life of interest to Texas farm women.

Each day will be divided generally into morning sessions consisting of meeting and talks by well-known men and women and Extension specialists on Texas farm life and its phases; the afternoons will be devoted to a series of demonstration programs. The program, as planned, will have a section on Texas Folk Lore and History.

On the last afternoon, Dr. T. O. Walton, president of A. & M. College, and Mrs. Walton will be hosts at a reception held on the president's lawn in honor of the Texas farm women attending the Short Course.

Recreation for each day while the Short Course is in motion.

SPIDER BITES.

By John W. Brown, M. D., C. P. H., State Health Officer.

Several cases of spider poisoning caused by the bite of the so-called black widow spider have been reported in Texas this year and people who live in rural districts might well take precautions against bites from these poisonous insects.

The scientific name of the black widow spider is *Latrodectus mactans*, and it is called the "hour-glass," "black widow," and "shoe button spider." Its shiny black, round abdomen gives rise to the name of shoe button and the bright red patch, which is shaped like an hour-glass, is responsible for the hour-glass designation. It obtains the name "black widow" from its custom of eating its mate. The body of the female is often an inch in length and the long, shiny black legs may stretch over a spread of as much as two inches.

This spider builds its web in dimly lighted places, generally in old toilets, garages, and other outbuildings. Its rough, coarse, irregular web is found under floors, in corners, between rafters, but especially under the floors of toilets, sheds, barns, etc.

Many requests have been received by the Texas State Department of Health relative to the best methods of controlling these insects. Spraying crude oil or creosote in cracks and crevices, particularly around the seats of old toilets, is an invaluable procedure, but precaution must be taken against fire. It is possible, also, to crush the egg masses with a stick. Other methods of control are unknown, although efforts are being made at the present time to find a parasite which will feed on the egg masses.

After the sharp, stinging bite, acute pain develops in the region of the surface bitten, spreading to other parts of the body. In addition to the pain, there is generally writhing, muscle contraction, difficult breathing, cold perspiration, nausea, and an extreme rigidity of the abdomen. If recovery occurs, there is a long convalescence, during which there remains general weakness, numbness, and pain. There should be no delay in calling a physician in cases of spider bite.

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A BRIEF HISTORY OF CASTROVILLE.

There has appeared recently a brief, carefully prepared, yet readable history of the Castro colony.

In CASTROVILLE AND HENRY CASTRO—EMPRESARIO, Julia Nott Waugh has traced the organization of the project in Paris, and told of the active opposition of the French government. She has followed the adventurous colonists across the wide ocean to the port of Galveston, painted the picture of their landing on these strange shores, of their despairing trek from the coast up to San Antonio; and of days both festive and tragic lived out in the village which they finally established beside the Medina.

In the chapter devoted to the religious history of the community, Mrs. Waugh writes of the early organization and the steadfast life of the Lutheran church; and of the labors and trials of the early priests. She has much to say of that Abbe Dubuis who "had a sworn enmity with rest"; of young Mathew Chazelle who "died of misery yet more than of illness"; of Father Domech, the artist-abbe; and she relates in detail the achievement of Father Peter Richard, that man of up-bringing energy, under whom Catholic activity reached its apex in the town of Castroville.

In the chapter on Henry Castro we are told of his origin in a prosperous Jewish family of Bayonne; of his difficulties with French officials, particularly with the Minister of Foreign Affairs, Francois Guizot; of his long struggle against a world which he felt to be forever hostile to him, above all, against that worst of all enemies, himself. With honesty and insight, Mrs. Waugh has sought to tell us what manner of man was this Jew of Bayonne who persuaded solidest French and German farmers to sail across the sea to that new and wild land which was the Republic of Texas. He had limitless energy, persistence, the stubbornness of weakness; he was in sum, she concludes, a troubled soul who did the best he could.

The Castroville of today this writer feels to be characterized by industry, by gaiety and by piety. She finds the village charming in its fine simplicity, interesting because it expresses the continuing tradition of the people who built it.

The book, which was written at the instigation of Mr. Ben Schweigmann, is off the press of the Standard Printing Co., San Antonio. Printed on eggshell book paper, and well bound in Morocco paper covers, it sells for \$1.00, postage paid. The edition is limited.

ON TEXAS FARMS.

By Minnie Fisher Cunningham, Extension Service Editor. "Knee deep in June" is okeh for the poet but apparently not for the dairyman if he is knee deep in Sudan grass gone to seed.

According to Extension Dairyman E. R. Eudaly, the value of Sudan grass is reduced about half if it is allowed to form seed.

He says it should be cut for hay just as it heads. If it is being grazed, but not kept down, mow half of it and two weeks later the other half. That way grazing will not be interfered with.

Mow the permanent pasture too. Twice a year mowing will kill the weeds Eudaly says. Cut high the first time—three or four inches off the ground—and low the next time to get the suckers and new branches.

Plant now for trench silo filling. Three tons per cow is what will be needed. Cane or grain sorghum can be planted on the oat stubble if there is enough moisture.

Cows need dry feed too, Eudaly says. And roughages are cheaper than grain. So plan for one ton of hay or bundle feed for each cow.

The Government's drought relief cattle buying removed about one million dairy cows from Texas farms, according to Eudaly. Remaining milkers should now be tested to be sure they are "worth their board and keep".

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LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

W. F. NAEGLIN, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Naegelin or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Mr. Naegelin is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, JULY 23, 1935

SCHOTT-HALBARDIER.

Two old and prominent Medina County families were united when Miss Evelyn Lucille Halbardier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Halbardier of Castroville, became the bride of Alfred Schott, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Schott of Devine, Tuesday morning at eight o'clock, July 23rd, in St. Louis Catholic Church of Castroville. The wedding was solemnized before a large group of Medina County relatives and friends of the couple. Following the nuptial services a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The bride was born, reared and educated in Castroville, and the groom is a rising young business man of Devine. After a brief honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Schott will be at home to their friends in Devine, where the groom has purchased the Milton Dubose bungalow on West side.

DEVINE COUPLE MARRIES HERE

Monday afternoon, July 22, 1935, Mr. B. L. Penland and Miss Mozelle Duncan, a young couple of Devine, slipped away from their friends and were united in marriage at the home of Anton F. Haller, Justice of the Peace, who performed the ceremony. Present were Mr. E. N. Morris, a cousin of the bride, and H. A. Elmdorff. The groom is engaged in business as manager of the Devine Barber Shop, and the couple will reside in Devine.

MARRIED SATURDAY.

Senor Hipolito Flores and Senorita Delfina Cuellar, a young Mexican couple of Mill Hill, were united in marriage Saturday night, July 20, 1935, at the home of Lupe Cuellar, by Justice of the Peace Anton F. Haller. Those who witnessed the marriage were Senor Dionicio Vasquez and Senora Alvina Anna Vasquez of Castroville.

Mrs. Chas. Suehs and son, Eugen, Mrs. Aug. J. Mangold and A. F. Haller were Convention visitors at New Braunfels Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Oerter of the Oerter monument Works people of San Antonio were here on business Saturday.

Mrs. Robert de Montel spent sev-

eral days in San Antonio visiting relatives.

Miss Mollie de Montel left last week from Galveston by boat for New York City where at present she is the guest of friends. She will remain several weeks, returning also by boat.

Hon. Joe Caldwell, State Representative of the 77th district, was a business visitor here last week.

Wm. Burell was a business visitor in San Antonio Monday.

L. Otto from the east side was a business visitor here Saturday.

County Judge R. J. Noonan and Mrs. Noonan were Castroville visitors Monday.

Mrs. Hilmar Mangold, Mrs. Henry Tschirhart and Henry Naegelin were Hondo visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Belzung of San Antonio are spending several weeks with Mr. Belzung's sister, Mrs. Ed. Kaufmann.

Commissioner H. J. Bippert was a Hondo visitor Monday.

Judge Haller's court was grinding Monday and business is picking up, which indicates the depression with some must be past.

Paul Tondre was a San Antonio visitor Saturday.

A meeting was held Monday night in the St. Louis Hall, at which preparations were made for a 25th of August celebration.

Mrs. Alfred Kempf of San Antonio spent several days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Mangold and Baby Bee.

A hard shower of rain, amounting to one-half inch, fell at Castroville early Wednesday morning. More is needed for the young corn planted since the rain which had already begun to suffer.

Willie Fous, the tinner, was bitten by a spider Tuesday morning, from the effects of which he became very ill. At this writing Wednesday morning he is somewhat better.

The delegates who attended the Catholic State Convention at New Braunfels last week returned home Thursday and report a large attendance and a successful gathering.

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EATS AND DRINKS. PLAZA BAR.

All kinds of drinks, at CARLE'S CONFECTIONERY.

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Tom Neuman was a business caller at this office Tuesday.

Melville Smith left Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Italy, Texas.

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FOR GOOD FRESH GROCERIES, REASONABLY PRICED, CALL ON OR PHONE 42. C. J. BLESS.

Mrs. Leo Schweers and son of Del Rio are visiting with Mrs. Schweers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bader.

Grand Prize, Faust, Monte Carlo, Pearl, Magnolia, Texas Pride, and Budweiser bottled beer. PLAZA BAR.

Judge R. J. Noonan attended the Convention of County Judges which was held in San Antonio all last week.

Mrs. Otto Bendele and daughter, Miss Ruby, of Castroville visited Mrs. Henry Batot, Jr., the first of the week.

Mrs. Julia Robinson of Hondo and Mrs. Earl O'Neill and children of Luling have been visiting relatives in Del Rio.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Bradley have as their guests Mrs. Bradley's sisters, Misses Gwendolyn and Lois Howard, of Waco.

Mrs. James Bailey of Natalia arrived the first of the week for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nester, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Zuberbuehler and family of Comstock are on a visit to Mr. John Zuberbuehler and other relatives at Dunlap.

Judge and Mrs. D. H. Fly have as their guests their son, Sidney Fly, and wife, who are visiting here from Shreveport, Louisiana.

WHEN IN TOWN CALL AROUND AND BUY GOOD GROCERIES AT A REASONABLE PRICE. C. J. BLESS.

Mrs. Dora Berns of Cibola and Mrs. Paul Reinhart and daughter, Miss Lena, of D'Hanis visited Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rely last Friday.

Mrs. Isabel Garber and Mr. Ernest Schneider are enjoying a several weeks' visit of their niece, Miss Gloria Wilburn of San Antonio.

Mrs. C. W. Roberts and daughter, Miss Mildred, returned Saturday to their home in San Antonio, after spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ney.

I. F. Aten was over from D'Hanis yesterday. Mr. Aten attended an Old Settler's reunion in Williamson County last week and reports a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Louis Scherrer and Mrs. Florence Isom and two sons, Sherrill and Larry, of San Antonio spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Davis and other relatives here.

Farmers' attention is called to advertisement of Guenther Public Warehouses, San Antonio, Texas. Time for 12-ct. Government cotton loans expires July 31st.

The Ninth Infantry will be recruiting in Hondo next Monday and Tuesday. Anyone desiring information may obtain same by getting in touch with the recruiting party.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boehle have moved into their new home recently purchased from Horace Bradley, and are doing some repairing and remodeling on the building.

Mrs. Henry Merriman won the first \$100 bank account at the Colonial Theatre Tuesday night. The two accounts for next Bank Night will amount to \$100 and \$50 each.

Good amusement in Hondo, Wednesday and Thursday nights of every week. "Soft Ball", something new. While here make your headquarters at the PLAZA BAR & CAFE.

Mrs. Lucy Van Fleet left Wednesday for her home in Galveston after spending the greater part of the summer with her sons, Clarence and Alton Van Fleet, and families here.

Bru Miller is substituting this week for Rural Carrier Hunter while Mr. Hunter attends a convention in San Angelo. Mrs. Hunter and little son are visiting relatives in Kerrville.

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BAPTIST NEWS NOTES.

Last Sunday was a really good day with us. Not a few visitors gladdened our congregation by their presence. Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell of Gonzales, together with their son-in-law, Mr. Grams, and his wife. Others, whose names we did not secure, were with us. Every face, appearing in the house of God, not only pleases the Pastor and congregation, but I am sure pleases our Father, Who has thus provided for the spiritual enrichment of all the people. The services at night, when Bro. Hull of the Methodist church preached, were well attended and the message given was well received. On next Sunday we expect to welcome the return of not a few of our encampment folks. They will add new joy to our fellowship. The Pastor will be in his pulpit at the morning hour, and will speak, according to our mutual arrangement, at the Methodist church house at the evening hour. Great Gospel messages will be presented at both these hours. It will be worth your time and also your presence and prayers to be with us. Hondo needs a demonstration of New Testament Christianity. For the sake of His Name, let us who profess to be his friends, determine to make this demonstration. For the poor debauched booze fighter, the debauched profligate, the greedy gambler, the worshipper of amusements, the common liar, God has made one provision. Here it is: "The Son of man came TO PUT AWAY SIN by the sacrifice of Himself. The blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanseth us FROM ALL SIN. Come and be healed. Do you know the way to God? Here is the answer: "I am the way, the truth, the life—no man cometh to the Father, but by me." See John's Gospel, 14th Chapter. Come and worship with us.

R. W. MERRILL, Pastor.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Gladstone said "Church going is not a matter of fancy for a Christian. It is his duty for the work's sake. I am a regular church-goer. I should go for various reasons if I did not love it." "I find there is in a corner of my heart a little place called REVERENCE which wants to be watered once a week."

And Gladstone has well spoken. I am sure, however, that the heart with all its corners is not satisfied unless and until the Saviour who is Christ the Lord has taken up His place anew there and has strengthened our faith through our Church going. The soul cannot be at rest until it rests in God. Do not deceive yourself, or your soul. "Son, work today in my vineyard." "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved and thy house." Among other things in form, we aim to make our services and keep our services reverent. Perhaps that is the "something different" you have noticed. "Come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord our Maker."

German services at 9:30, July 28. Do not allow other plans to keep you from this worship hour. You cannot afford it. English services at your convenience at 8:00 P. M. Sunday school and Bible Class at 8:30.

Sunday, August 4, English service at 9:30 A. M.

CHANGE IN RELIEF OFFICE.

Effective August 1st, the "Texas Rural Rehabilitation" shall be transferred to the Texas Resettlement Administration, and/or Texas Rural Communities, being completely divorced from the Texas Relief Commission thereafter, having its offices in the Relief Office at Hondo, with the following personnel:

C. A. Wenmohs, Rural Supervisor, O. B. Bradley, Assistant Supervisor.

Mrs. Luella B. Ward, Home Supervisor.

Miss Frances Sauter, Stenographer and Certifying Officer.

This organization is interested in renting good, fertile lands for the coming year. Anyone having such land to rent, may, as soon as convenient, get in touch with Mr. C. A. Wenmohs, Rural Supervisor, who will discuss the matter with him.

TEXAS RESETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATION, Hondo, Medina County, Texas.

MEDINA PIONEER DIES AT HOME IN SAN ANTONIO.

Miss Emily Villemain, 84, member of a pioneer Texas family, died early Wednesday at her residence, 602 West Laurel street, San Antonio. A native of Belfast, France, Miss Villemain came to this country 82 years ago and settled with her family on the Medina river near Castroville. For the past 66 years she made her home in San Antonio.

Funeral services were held Thursday morning from the Zizik-Kearnes parlors, followed by a requiem mass in the St. Mary's Catholic church, the Rev. Joseph Ryan officiating. Interment was made in Mission Burial park.

Surviving Miss Villemain are two sisters, Miss Adeline Villemain and Mrs. Justine Stein.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By Edson R. Waite,
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

Selfishness holds back progress.

You should boost your city.

Citizens who have boosted their home city along business lines usually have something to show for it.

In many cities the organized business men have been busy. They have gone after the business of the home city and surrounding country in a business-like manner.

The organized business men of live cities are encouraging agriculture, aiding and assisting production and construction and encouraging and helping ambition.

They know that what helps the home city helps them.

These cities profit by the mistakes of other cities.

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Don't Let Your Competitor Profit By Your Mistakes!

AND IT RAINED.

The clouds gathered and the rain came, and a thirsty earth that was beginning to show need of refreshment has been watered again. It began raining during the night before and continued almost uninterrupted all during the forenoon of Wednesday. Judge Haass' rain gauge registered a total fall for the time of 4.10 inches. The fall was gentle for the most part and much of it soaked into the soil. Second growth feed crops and late fall crops have been greatly benefited. Its effect on cotton is indeterminate.

The rain was much heavier north-west of us, causing a 15-foot rise in the Hondo Creek and again putting the Seco and Parkers Creeks out of their banks at D'Hanis. Considerable damage was done to both the railroad and highway roadbeds just west of D'Hanis and flood water spread over much of the town but luckily it was not so severe as the flood of May 31st.

What would have been a most welcome shower in time of drouth fell about mid-afternoon Thursday and as we went to press more was threatening to follow.

Come to the Hondo Land Co. when you wish to buy or sell real estate.

BROOM CORN SELLING.

The broom corn market opened up here this week when Frank T. Ward, buyer for eastern parties, purchased four carloads of straw from local growers. Shipment is expected to be made today.

Otis Laughinghouse, V. P. King and R. A. Taylor were parties from whom purchases were made. Prices paid, which varied according to quality, were subject to private negotiation.

This is the first local movement of the crop and other shipments are expected to follow soon as there is a considerable quantity of straw on hand and the rain of Wednesday will probably produce considerable second growth on some fields.

While broom corn is a new crop for most of our farmers, the yield was reasonably high and of fair quality. As our soil and climate are favorable to the growth of the crop if prices are fair it will become a permanent commercial crop for many of our farmers.

Mrs. F. H. Schweers has as her guests for several days this week Mrs. C. W. Fuos, Mrs. Alton Fuos and Mrs. F. M. Chaney and two little daughters, Dorothy and Betty Jean, of San Antonio.

TEXAS HONORS HIM.



PORTRAIT OF JOHN GARNER.

George Robinson in Houston Post.

The Texas senate has voted \$500 to purchase an oil portrait of John Nance Garner, vice president of the United States.

John Garner is an outstanding citizen of Texas, native of the soil. He has the esteem and the confidence of all who dwell beneath the folds of the Lone Star flag. A people honor themselves when they give suitable and substantial recognition to one of their number who has achieved distinction, and the purchase of this portrait will meet public approval.

The portrait is from the brush of Lucy Wilson Rice. Her father was a gallant member of troops from Alabama fighting for the Southern Con-

federacy, his courage and fidelity attested by the loss of a limb. Coming with his family to Texas, they settled in Belton, and their daughter, Miss Lucy, grew to womanhood there, her alma mater being Baylor Female College, presided over at the time by John Hill Luther, an educator of renown.

Miss Lucy Wilson gave her heart and hand in marriage to Charles D. Rice, a professor in the University of Texas, and a close personal friend of Frank Andrews, a well-known Houston attorney. Professor Rice has gone to his reward in Heaven, leaving behind him an influence for good that will go on forever.

It is good to know that Texas has many capable artists in sculpture, music and painting, not the least of whom in ability is Lucy Wilson Rice.

QUIHI NOTES.

And God said to Abraham, As for Sarai thy wife, thou shalt not call her name Sarai, but Sarah shall her name be. . . . I will bless her, and she shall be a mother of nations, kings of people shall be of her. Gen. 17: 15, 16.

The divine and human elements are strangely mingled into the lives and into the very names of this patriarchal couple, and all for a large and higher purpose. In the long retrospect and aided by later revelations, we can see the divine purpose. The new names and their significance, designating both the origins of many nations, pointed to a physical impossibility, to something ridiculous, from the human scope of view, considering their age. Their faith had to take it or leave it. Their nomadic isolation, no connection with the world at large, and their childlessness, again, did not warrant the probability that kings, in the real sense of that term, should ever be among their offspring. Another test of faith. And why so much ado about the name of a woman at a time, when the dignity of woman was so little recognized in Israel and in the pagan world around? Dare Sarah indulge in the meaning of her new name? And did it all come true? In every detail. And the process of fulfillment is not yet ended. The history of Israel is not a dead relic. St. Paul compares this race to an "olive tree", i. e., a living organism with a great bloom ahead (Rom. c. 11). Both had faith. The new letter in their names, the "h", (it's the principal letter in the word Jehovah), was not merely written into their names, but into their hearts.

Due to sickness and other untoward circumstances, we had many cancellations in our last Luther League program. But it was no mutilated program at all, thanks to the ever-ready substitutes that offer their services in an emergency. Not a single number had to be omitted and the fair audience was well repaid for their coming. Even little Miss Helen Boehle helped along, making her debut, her first appearance, and coming through with flying colors. Singing to mother at home and singing alone before a sea of faces, there is a difference. We admired her courage, and we are sure that her example will encourage others of her size and type. Come on with the goods. Every item adds to an enjoyable evening, and the Lord still loves the praise from the mouth of "babes". And here are the assignments for the next program. Kindly inform, whenever you are not able to be with us. Recitations, Lewis Boehle, Miss Agnes Hartmann; select readings, Mrs. Arnold Lindeburg, Marvin Grell; vocal selections, Miss Esther Bohlen, Rohlf Saathoff; instrumental solo, Mrs. Alfred Saathoff. The standing numbers will be taken care of by the musical director, Mr. Edwin Grell.

The first of August is the day for our next meeting of the Ladies' Aid. The hostesses are the Mesdames C. W. Grell, Otto Neumann, Geo. Balzen. The Lord needs your aid and you need the impulse and cheer of this gathering. So try to be with the other members and bring your neighbor along. They're always welcome.

Announcements for July 28th: German service at New Fountain, 10 A. M. Junior Bible class and Sunday school at 9; evening service at 8. Let the Lord "comfort your hearts, and stablish you in every good word and work." II Thes. 2:17. C. WEEBER, Pastor.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Whereas, He who doeth all things well, has seen proper to call from his labors our brother and co-worker, Companion John P. Nixon,

And whereas, it is but just that a fitting recognition of his many virtues should be had, therefore, be it

Resolved by Hondo Chapter No. 350 Royal Arch Masons: That, while we bow with humble submission to the will of the Most High, we do not the less mourn for our friend and companion who has been taken from this earthly tabernacle to the celestial lodge above;

Resolved, That, in the death of Companion Nixon, this Chapter laments the loss of a companion who was ever ready to proffer the hand of aid and the voice of sympathy to those of the fraternity in distress;

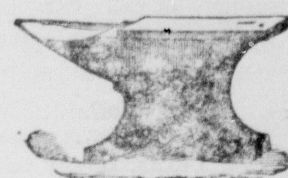
Resolved: That we sincerely condole with the family of the deceased and that the heartfelt sympathy of this Chapter be extended to them in their afflictions;

Resolved: That these resolutions be entered upon the records of the Chapter and a copy thereof transmitted to the family of our deceased companion, and published in the Hondo Anvil Herald.

FLETCHER DAVIS,
ISAAC WILSON,
DR. O. B. TAYLOR,
Committee.

Hondo City Chapter No. 350,
R. A. M.
Hondo, Texas, July 22, 1935.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Crow have as their guests Mrs. Crow's sisters, Mrs. G. C. Deen of Austin and Mrs. N. C. Johnson of Beeville, and Mrs. Deen's daughter, Mrs. J. R. Gault, also of Austin.



SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews

By the
MANAGING EDITOR.

The Anvil end of this paper was started in the midsummer of 1886. Therefore, with the issue of July 12th the paper completed its 49th year and with the issue of July 19th entered its 50th volume. The present management bought The Anvil at Castroville in the spring of 1900, before it had completed its 13th volume, and is now in the 36th year of its ownership. Whether our investment of all we had in an enterprise that at the time was not earning expenses proved us brave or only desperate, the fact that we bought it on Friday and in its 13th year should at least prove we were not superstitious. The paper has done its best to keep pace with changing conditions and along with the change from the horse and buggy to the automobile we long ago went from hand-set methods to machine composition. How well we continue to keep pace must depend upon the loyalty and support of the community, for when all is said and done a newspaper is not what the editor but what the people he serves make it. Now is the time to subscribe!

HOW WE SHALL VOTE.

The people of Texas will be called upon to vote on seven proposed changes in the Texas Constitution at a special election for that purpose on August 24th.

The proposals will be numbered and are discussed below in the order of their appearance on the ticket, and those voting for will scratch the paragraph beginning "Against" and those voting against will scratch the paragraph beginning "For".

1. FOR the Amendment giving the Legislature the power to provide a System of Old Age Assistance not to exceed Fifteen Dollars (\$15) per month per person and to accept from the Government of the United States financial aid for old age assistance.

AGAINST, etc. We shall vote against this amendment.

The state is delinquent now in its payments to Confederate veterans and for current expenses. We should assume no more financial burdens until we have discharged those already contracted. Furthermore, no more Federal-State partnerships should be encouraged.

2. FOR the Amendment of Article I, Section 15, of the State Constitution by adding to said Section a provision to the effect that the Legislature may provide for the temporary commitment of mentally ill persons not charged with a criminal offense by the County Court without the necessity of a jury trial.

AGAINST, etc. We are against this Amendment. Trial by jury, defective as it may be, is the best safeguard yet devised for the protection of a man's freedom. It cannot be denied to the humblest without endangering all.

3. FOR the Amendment to the State Constitution repealing state wide prohibition, prohibiting the open saloon and providing for local option.

AGAINST, etc. This one proposal we shall vote for, not for any merit it contains of its own but because most any change is to be preferred to the conditions it would change.

4. FOR the Amendment to Section I, Article XVIII, of the Constitution of Texas, providing that Amendments to the Constitution may be proposed at Special Sessions of the Legislature under certain conditions.

AGAINST, etc. It is too easy to amend our Constitution now. The adoption of this Amendment would afford an excuse for more frequent sessions of the Legislature, and lead to constant tinkering with our fundamental law. Texas should have none of it. We shall vote against its adoption.

5. FOR the Amendment to the State Constitution authorizing the Courts to place defendants on probation.

AGAINST, etc. This is another companion piece of legislation along with the suspended sentence, the chief virtue of which is to serve as a loophole for shyster Continued on last page.

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Mrs. L. E. Kollman is visiting her son, Harry Kollman, and family at Teague, Texas. Harry recently moved from Hondo to Teague where he is now running a Red & White Grocery Store.

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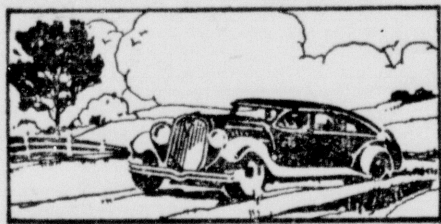
Dr. H. J. Meyer, who underwent an appendix operation in a San Antonio hospital some three weeks ago, was able to be removed to his home here last Thursday night, and is rapidly regaining his former good health.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Haass had as their guests Monday Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Bendele and two daughters, Edith Adele and Peggy, of Long Beach, Calif., Mrs. Adela Bendele of San Antonio, Mrs. August Schmidt of Tescus, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bendele and Mr. George Bendele, Jr., of Hondo.

Hints for Motorists

By C. R. Strouse

Director, School of Automobiles, International Correspondence Schools



To make a tight-fitting job when renewing auto-hose connections, get a length of hose in a size just a little too small to be forced over the nipples of the radiator tank and engine block. To swell the ends of the hose sufficiently to enable them to be slipped over the nipples, soak the ends in gasoline for about an hour. Slip the ends into place. Adjust the clamps after the gasoline has evaporated, when it will be found that the hose has a tight grip on the nipples. Do not use hose having wire or unusually heavy fabric reinforcements.

Open seams in the casing are usually responsible when a muffler suddenly becomes noisy. The leaky seams can be distinguished by the soot-blackened appearance, and can easily be sealed with ordinary asbestos furnace cement.

Prof. J. G. Barry and C. M. Flory were here last week-end on business. R. W. Bendele, son of Mrs. Adela Bendele, his wife and two daughters, Betty Lou and Edith Adele, of Long Beach, California, have been visiting relatives here and in Devine and Castroville for several weeks. Mr. Bendele left Medina County some thirteen years ago for California, where he married and acquired a family. This was his first visit to Medina County in the thirteen years, and the first visit to Texas for Mrs. Bendele and daughters.

Judge H. E. Haass, whose home on North Front Street was flooded by the high water that poured through that part of town on May 31st, is having the building raised some two feet and remodeling and recovering the same. When finished it will be greatly improved both in comfort and in outward appearance.

Rev. T. J. Flynn, pastor of St. John the Evangelist Church, left Monday on a three weeks' vacation, to be spent with relatives and friends in Boston, Mass. The Redemptorist Fathers of San Antonio will have charge of the parish church in the absence of the pastor.

Master Edson J. Oefinger of Sturm Hill spent last week here with his uncle, Mr. O. J. Bader. Mr. Bader and the young man have been "batching" while Mrs. Bader and two daughters, Mary Adele and Betty Jean, visited her sister, Mrs. J. J. Saathoff, in San Antonio.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Batot arrived Saturday evening from Austin, Texas. Mr. Batot left early Sunday morning to enter the Reserve Officers training camp at Fort Clark, Texas, for two weeks. Mrs. Batot will visit with relatives and friends here until Mr. Batot returns.

\$200.00 Westinghouse full automatic porcelain Electric Range, 4-burner with elevated oven, full automatic, electric clock control, almost new. Guaranteed same as new range for 1 year. Price \$65.00 del. in Hondo. FRANK SCHROEDER, Norge Dealer, 213 Main Ave., San Antonio, Texas, F7349. 2tpd.

Miss Helen Sale and Miss Carolyn McClain of San Antonio spent Wednesday here with Judge and Mrs. D. H. Fly. They were accompanied back to San Antonio Wednesday evening by Miss Sale's mother, Mrs. A. P. Sale, who had spent two days here, and by Miss Etta Fly, who had been visiting homefolks here for some time.

Nestle method permanently waved hair without destroying gloss and texture of normal hair, dressed in modern individual type after shampoo and thoroughly dried will retain coiffure after necessary daily care of hair. Daily application of water to hair is detrimental to hair texture. Marinello face powder, lotions and creams are sold here and used for scientific care of face, hair and scalp, a necessity for health. LADIES BEAUTY SHOPPE.

Mr. W. H. Windrow and party, composed of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Carle and Doris and Babo Windrow, returned Friday night from a motor trip through the West. They found the hottest weather in crossing the desert, but enjoyed the California climate and the swimming in the Pacific along the California Coast. They spent two days attending the Exposition at San Diego, California. On the return trip home they were accompanied by Mr. Windrow's son, Don, of Animus, New Mexico, who will remain here for some time.

The Thursday Bridge Club and several additional friends were guests of Mrs. O. H. Miller Friday afternoon for several games of bridge. Mrs. T. B. Knopp won high score prize, Mrs. Earl Starnes won second high score prize, and Miss Audrey Lewis received the guest prize. Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The personnel included the following: Mesdames W. H. Smith, J. M. Finger, Roy Hunter, Earl Starnes, O. B. Taylor, Garland Martin, E. J. Leinweber, R. J. Noonan, T. B. Knopp, L. E. Heath, and L. J. Brucks, and Miss Audrey Lewis.

Mrs. W. O. Rothe was hostess to the Ladies' Bridge Club at her country home Thursday afternoon of last week, entertaining with three tables of bridge. Following the games prizes were awarded Miss Lillian Brucks for high score, Mrs. J. M. Finger for consolation, and Miss Mary Emma Finger for guest. A refreshing salad course and iced tea were served to the following club members and guests: Mesdames Alice Reinhart, Robert Kollman, L. J. Brucks, L. E. Heath, F. H. Schweers, Fletcher Davis, Earl Starnes, O. B. Taylor, and J. M. Finger, and Misses Lillian Brucks, Mary Emma Finger and Annette Rothe.

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Above all else W. C. Field, screen comic, has a unique style of delivery which has endeared him to millions. Fields, who is starred in Paramount's "Man on the Flying Trapeze", coming Monday and Tuesday to the Colonial Theatre, declares he acquired his raspy voice as a youngster, and never has lost it. Few people know he started his career as a vocal comedian, turning to pantomime when he left for abroad.

The Fields delivery is unique. The lines themselves, with the raspy Fields voice reciting them, gain a distinctive humor that no other funny man on stage or screen can imitate or equal.



In "Man on the Flying Trapeze" Fields is seen as a shy, down-trodden clerk, brow-beaten in the office and hen-pecked at home. The film tells how this "poor man" tries to sneak away from his office and his nagging wife and mother-in-law to attend a wrestling match.

The list of supporting players which includes, in addition to Mary Brian and Kathleen Howard, Lucien Littlefield, Grady Sutton, Vera Lewis, Oscar Apfel, all contribute to the fun of the piece.

Boll weevil continue their destructive ravages to the cotton crop. Mr. J. S. Fly reports a 90-acre crop of fine, healthy looking plants but without any fruit. The weevils take the forms before the blooms open and he says from the present outlook the 90 acres will not produce as much as a bale. While this seems like an extreme case, it is no doubt fairly typical of most cotton crops in this vicinity.

Friends and relatives here received the sad news Wednesday of the death of Mrs. Bess Breeding Billings at Encinal. Mrs. Billings visited her sisters, Mrs. Earl Boon and Mrs. Ed. Convey here on numerous occasions. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boon and daughter, Miss Lucille, and Mr. and Mrs. Volney Boon attended the funeral at Encinal yesterday.

Thomas Reynolds of Seguin spent the first of the week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Reynolds. On Tuesday Thomas, accompanied by Harry Fileman, left on a ten days' motor trip to Oklahoma. In Oklahoma City they plan to visit with Montel Williamson.

Mr. Vernon Ward of Warren, Arizona, was a business caller at this office last Friday. Mr. Ward and family were here on a visit, the first in a number of years, to relatives in the Yancey country. They returned the first of the week to their Arizona home.

The Medina County Boosters Club is sponsoring one of its fine dances and entertainment feature, with Jimmie Kleins' musicians and vocal artists at the Fair Grounds hall Saturday night, August 3rd. Watch for further announcements.

We have been informed that Wesley H. Bendele, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Bendele of Hondo, has been enlisted in the United States Army, and has been assigned to the 12th F. Artillery, with station at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas.

Miss Annie Laura Renken is visiting relatives and friends in Castroville, having acted as bridesmaid in the Schott-Halbardier wedding Tuesday morning in St. Louis Church.

Lost, two Polled-Hereford yearling heifers, unbranded. Finder please notify L. J. Saathoff, Phone 966-F3, Hondo. 1tpd.

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Mrs. C. W. Martindale and Roy Stone and family of Martindale and San Marcos respectively spent Sunday at the Stone farm north of Hondo, visiting Clyde Stone and their sister, Miss Stella Stone. Miss Stella is spending her summer vacation at the farm.

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Rev. and Mrs. Shan M. Hull are chaperoning a camping party of young people at Camp Fawcett on the Nueces this week. The camp is a sort of a combination of holiday frolic, a church chautauqua and training school, combining recreation, pleasure and profit all in one. We regret that we haven't the names of the personnel of the party.

The editor and family were favored by a most enjoyable visit last Friday from Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Heard of Sherman, Texas. Mrs. Heard has two children living in San Antonio and took time off from a visit to them to come out to Hondo. She is the eldest daughter of the editor's oldest brother and one of two sisters, all left living now of the brother's immediate family.

The editors of this paper are in receipt of a card from Mr. and Mrs. Alex Boehme of San Antonio who with their two children, Miss Dorothy and Nesbit, are visiting Mrs. Boehme's sister, Mrs. C. E. McCashin and family at Chattanooga, Tenn. They are having an enjoyable trip and expect to return by way of Covington and Memphis, the former town being Mrs. Boehme's early childhood home. Mrs. Boehme and Mrs. McCashin were before their marriages Misses Annie Mac and Dorothy Hall of Castroville.

In a three month's campaign ending March 30, Jasper county farmer: immunized 4000 pigs against hog cholera and checked a disease that had been raging in approximately 10 communities for six months. Seventeen practical farmers trained in the work participated in this campaign. According to reliable estimates of farmers, 3500 pigs died with the disease before it was brought under control. The campaign was conducted in connection with the farm meat supply program, the purpose of which is to insure an adequate meat supply for every farm home.

Stockmen report screw worms unusually numerous and troublesome on the ranges this season. Not only are they doing serious damage to domestic animals but wild ones as well are suffering. County Treasurer O. J. Bader reports finding a doe in one of his tanks last week. It was too feeble to get out of his way and he roped and tied it up. Examination disclosed that screw worms had eaten off both of its ears and laid bare part of the neck bone. It died before he could do anything for it to bring relief. The animal had evidently sought the water to cool the fever from which it must have been suffering.

Jack J. Bendele was here this week from the Nueces country. He was visiting his brother, Florian Bendele. Discussing the Seco floods, Mr. Bendele says that the floods will continue to follow every heavy rain until the bed of the Seco creek is cleared of the timber growth that now, it is claimed, chokes the stream and stops the natural flow of the flood waters. If this be true, a survey would easily determine the fact. The clearing of these obstructions, straightening bends wherever feasible and the planting of timber breaks where there is danger of the water breaking out and cutting a new channel would seem to be the most feasible means of flood protection. This would seem to offer a chance for the CCC to do some real conservation work.

DR. M. S. DERANKOU

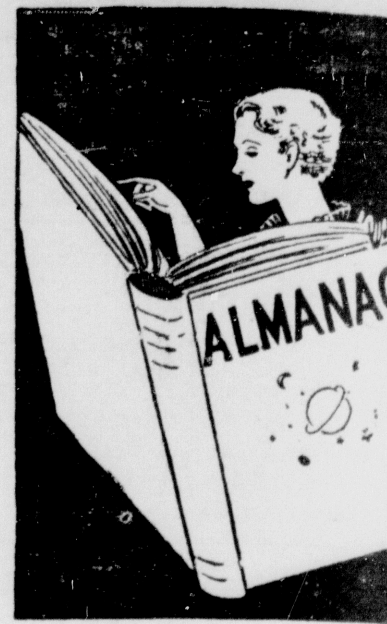
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Corn in Potato Nests: Add two tablespoons of butter and one-half teaspoon salt to two cups of hot mashed potatoes. Beat until fluffy. Add two well-beaten egg yolks and force through a pastry bag onto a greased pan, in the form of nests. Brown in a hot oven. Remove from the pan with a spatula and fill with hot, well-seasoned canned corn. Serve with fried chicken. This serves eight persons.

Mexican Corn: Sauté a medium-sized onion which has been chopped in two tablespoons of butter until it is golden brown. Add one tablespoon flour and stir until smooth. Add two cups of canned tomatoes, two cups of canned corn, two canned pimientos, one teaspoon salt, one teaspoon sage and one-eighth teaspoon pepper, and pour into a buttered baking dish. Cover thickly with buttered crumbs and brown in a hot oven. This serves eight persons.

Corn Oysters: Add to one cup of canned corn one tablespoon of melted butter, three-fourths teaspoon salt, one-eighth teaspoon pepper and four tablespoons flour which has been mixed with one-eighth teaspoon baking powder. Add one beaten egg yolk and fold in one stiffly-beaten egg white. Drop by small spoonfuls into hot fat (375 to 390 degrees). Fry a golden brown; drain well. This makes about twenty small "oysters." Choose a solid pack of corn for this dish.

Seventy-two head of cattle fed on cotton fodder have wintered better than cattle wintered on cane, Johnson grass and other forage in the farm of Brad Staggs, Clay county stockman. All cattle were fed cake twice a week. Staggs bought 100 acres of cotton last fall which he had mowed and stacked as he would any other hays except that it was not packed as tight as the ordinary stack and that a mixture of salt and lime was sprinkled throughout the stack. The land produced an estimated 100 tons of cotton fodder at a cost of \$100. Seventy-two head of cattle were wintered on this fodder and Staggs will have one stack left when he quits feeding. At first the cattle did not seem to like the cotton fodder but now they will quit other fodder to eat it.

March second witnessed the first 4-H club calf show in the history of Goliad County. It was the general opinion that there was the largest crowd in town on that day there had been for years. Eight boys exhibited nine calves. Bob Hall of the Beeville Experiment Station judged. Liberal financial support had been given by all parts of the county and there was a cash prize schedule as follows: first place, \$16.00; second, \$13.50; third, \$12.00; and four places of \$9.50 each. Every boy who completed the feeding project and exhibited his calf got a cash award. Alton Curtis had a second prize senior calf and first prize junior calf and thereby pulled down a total of \$29.50 in prize money which more than paid his expenses to the Houston show with his calves.

Final preparations are being made by St. Mary's Parish of LaCoste for the annual picnic to be held Sunday July 28th, at Echtle's Grove near LaCoste. At 12 o'clock a grand barbecue dinner will be served, and during the day entertainment features will include amusement booths and refreshment stands, and a musical concert by Prof. Leinhardt's combined Castroville and LaCoste orchestra. A large crowd of visitors is expected. You will find your invitation elsewhere in this paper.

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LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

W. F. NAEGLIN, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Naegelin or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Mr. Naegelin is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, JULY 23, 1935

Called From The Castroville Page.

The LaCoste Ledger, July 19th.

Little Miss Nata Halty is spending the week with relatives here.

Miss Ella Bader from Biry is visiting with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Keller and son from LaCoste were visitors here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Tschirhart from San Antonio were visitors here Sunday.

Messrs. Martin Schneider and Joe A. Bader were business visitors in San Antonio.

Messrs. Alex Tschirhart and William Burger made a business trip to San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. Angelina Kauffmann, who has been on the sick list the past week, is doing fine at this writing.

Miss Mary Hoog spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Halty at Hondo.

Miss Margaret Tschirhart from San Antonio is visiting with relatives here.

C. H. Gwernsky from the San Antonio Horse and Mule Auction was here on business Tuesday.

Messrs. Jack FitzSimon and Eugene Mangold were business visitors in Hondo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Tondre from San Antonio were week-end visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Greven from San Antonio were visiting here a few days the past week.

Mr. Freeman, vice-president of Draughton's Business College of San Antonio, was a visitor here Friday.

Miss Mildred Miller and Prof. Matt Bader from San Marcos were visitors here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Biediger and daughter from Pearson were visitors here Tuesday.

Mesdames Frank Steidle, Mary Steidle and Mattie Hines from San Antonio were visitors here one day the past week.

Mrs. Mary Bader from Hondo and Mrs. Charles Brown from Los Angeles, Texas, were visitors here last Wednesday.

Mrs. Arthur Holzhaus and son, George, Mrs. Herbert Holzhaus and Oscar Suehs were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sargin and baby from St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. Tony Kosub and children from San Antonio were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Tragger Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Holzhaus was entertained with a birthday supper last Wednesday evening by a number of relatives and friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holzhaus.

Mrs. Ed. Mann, who has been on the sick list for several weeks, has returned from the hospital and is staying with Mrs. Charles Suehs here.

Messrs. Chas. Suehs, Sr., and son, Eugene from here and Paul and Dan Christilles and Wilfred Biediger from LaCoste took a pleasure trip to Del Rio and Mexico Sunday.

Messrs. Chas. Suehs, Sr., from here, Fritz Weiblen and son, Herbert, and Alvin Bippert from the Sauz and Walter Geiger from LaCoste took a business trip to Houston Monday.

The dance in the Electric Park Hall Sunday night was well attended and enjoyed by all. The following couples received prizes for being the best waltzers: 1st prize, Miss Melba Wurzbach and Milton Bippert; 2nd prize, Miss Ethel Haby and Daniel Heller.

A birthday party was given in honor of Marlin Naegelin on his 15th birthday anniversary, Friday evening, July 12th. The evening was filled away in playing cards. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Clement Tondre, Leon Groff, Joseph Schmidt, Harvey Tondre and the onore.

A birthday party was given in honor of Miss Laura Mae Schott, Saturday evening, July 13, the occasion being her 15th birthday anniversary.

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RURAL LETTER CARRIERS ASSN. MEETS.

The 5-County Local, consisting of exar, Medina, Frio, Atascosa and endall Counties, of the National Rural Letter Carriers Association met in the Medina River below the bridge at Castroville Sunday, July 14th, for the of the first gatherings of the local in Medina County, with a large number of rural carriers present.

Previous to the opening of the meeting, barbecue was served and enjoyed by all.

Some of the visitors present were: Assistant Postmaster R. S. Hedges of n Antonio; Postmasters Alex Jungun, LaCoste, A. Boog, D'Hanis, and e Steidle, Dunlay.

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FOUND FOR KEEPS.

By Mrs. Clovis L. McBride.

The sultry, June afternoon was rapidly drawing to a close in the Kiamichi mountains of southeast Oklahoma. The sun had sunk low in the western sky, burnishing the corrugated peaks of the towering mountain-range below.

A solitary horseman threaded a dim path that zig-zagged through a winding canyon that reached for miles, tranquilly enclosed between two precipitous mountainsides.

"I'm surely not on the wrong trail this time," he soliloquized in an undertone. "The description is too exact—the mysterious lady of these mountains must be the one I have searched for so many years!" And a quiver of emotion crept into his voice as he whispered the last sentence.

For some distance he rode on in silence. Then he gave voice to another thought: "I'd best disguise a little. Victor and I used to look so much alike. She might mistake me for him and pump my hide full of lead!" And as he uttered the last word, he drew his trained horse to a halt.

Dismounting, he took a miniature package of stage make-up from his saddle-pocket. And in the brief interval of only a few moments his transformation was complete.

"I suppose she remembers every contour of Victor's features, but the nose-putty makes my respiration pipe look vastly different," he muttered as he sprang into the saddle. Then he rode on down the trail that now began to dip into a steep incline.

"Halt there!" a feminine voice rang out, breaking the ominous stillness of the forest.

"Yes, sir. What say?" answered the man we have been following in this story, perfectly composed and without the slightest evidence of fear or emotion, as he reined his mount to an abrupt halt.

"Get your hands in the air!" further demanded his hidden assailant. "Sure thing," he answered, as he quickly complied.

Then the slight figure of a woman attired in riding habit, and wearing a wide-brimmed sombrero, emerged from a clump of dense underbrush, with leveled revolver, and a menacing look in her deep blue eyes.

"Let's hear your business, Mister," she snapped out.

"If you'll only promise to hear me through, and then shoot me if you feel like it. But not until I have had my chance to explain everything. I'll be glad to begin my story," he replied.

"Out with it, then!" she tersely demanded.

"Then you promise not to shoot me until I am through with the whole story, no matter how some of it may sound at first?" he further questioned.

"I do," she replied. "But why the request? You surely could explain very briefly why you are here in these mountains where folks seldom come, except they who are running from the law, or else looking for those who are."

"Pardon me, but again let me remind you of your promise. For part of my story may sound entirely different to what it really is. But if you'll just give me time, I'll explain everything to your absolute satisfaction. Then if you want to shoot me—well, all you'll have to do is pull the trigger, as I see you have already taken sights on the head of your gun."

"I'll not shoot you until you have had all the time you desire to explain everything you wish to. So get started on it, please," she assured him.

"Thanks a lot. That relieves my mind on that score. For you have always borne the reputation of keeping your word," he answered.

"So it's like I expected. You came here hunting for me!" she raised her voice to a high, excited pitch.

"I did," he confessed. "But not to cause you any harm."

"Do you think I am so easy as to swallow that?" she demanded. "I'm denying nothing to you. For I know that you know who I am and what I did. But whether you ever leave that spot alive is an optional matter with me. You knew when you came into these mountains to capture me that I had killed one man. So you took the risk with full knowledge of the danger. Did you not?"

"I knew you believed you had killed a man. But he did not die. And that is what I came to tell you!" calmly elucidated her hero.

"If I knew that were true, I would go back and finish up the job!" And a flash of terrible hatred shown in her azure eyes.

"If I would show you a sworn affidavit from the physician that attended him in his last illness, last summer when he died, to that effect, would you believe it?" he asked.

"It would be an easy matter to fix up a sham of that sort to get me back. But let me remind you not to attempt to put your hand in your pocket," she returned.

"But I have proof of it all here with me—the marriage license of your sister Nellie and my brother Victor Underwood. I have..." But he was interrupted by a shriek of agony from the woman who had appeared so incapable of emotion before.

"My God! Surely you do not mean to tell me that my sister was lawfully married to that man I shot for..." Here overwhelming emotion choked her voice.

"I do mean just this. And have the license along with me, showing they were legally recorded. You know one couldn't get a thing like that done to capture somebody. When a County official puts his stamp upon a document, it is real."

The gun which had been so menacingly leveled at his head a moment before, was now lowered. And deathly white and violently trembling, the lady refugee of those mountains sank limply down upon the ground.

"Bring all the proof you have here," she told him between suppressed sobs. And a moment later, he was seated upon the ground by her side.

Without a word, he handed her the marriage license.

"Thank God!" she moaned, as she read the unmistakable proof of her sister's marriage. "This knowledge compensates me for all these years of misery and seclusion!"

"Miss Duncan, you will be glad to know that my brother took his little daughter, and lavished upon her all the love and wealth at his command until his death. Mother and I have kept her since," Vernon Underwood—Kansas City's most noted detective—told her in a voice very tender in its accents.

"Mr. Underwood, I am so sorry of what I did—but you surely understood what I thought," she began apologetically.

"No one—not even Victor, himself—ever blamed you. In fact, he devoted his life, from the time it happened, until he died trying to find you. So you might escape the curse of going through life, feeling that a crime rested upon your soul. My ambition had always been for sleuth work, so I took up your trail twelve years ago, and have been working upon the slight clues you left behind you ever since. But after Victor died I felt impelled to find you," he leisurely explained.

"And to think I came so near killing you!" she broke down sobbing out the tempest of grief stored there

for so many years.

"Priscilla, little girl, I meant to keep a secret until some future time. Another reason why I have searched half the globe over for you. But I cannot do it. I must know without further suspense whether the fond dreams I have cherished so long are to ever come true. I fell in love with your portrait, when Nellie first showed it to me, soon after her secret marriage to my brother. And I have carried the image of your face in my heart ever since. But wait—don't give me your answer until you have seen me. I disguised a little for fear you might mistake me for Victor. You see we were twins, and in our younger days, few people, who were not well acquainted with us, could tell us apart."

With speechless amazement, she watched him remove, one by one, the articles of disguise—nose-putty, false mustache and gold-rimmed glasses. Then a blandly smiling and altogether handsome individual looked, with eyes of love, into hers and whispered: "Sweetheart, I am waiting for your answer!"

"Yes, I'll marry you," she stammeringly replied. "That way neither of us will have to be separated from my sister's and your brother's little girl, who is equally near and dear to us both. And then I can see that you very much favor Prince Charming, that I used to have girlish visions about—before I became a fugitive from the law. Of course, I never allowed romance to enter my heart after the terrible tragedy that followed my sister's death. But I always knew that somewhere in the world, the one man I could love, was tall and straight, with soft brown eyes and wavy brown hair. Now won't you tell me your first name?"

"Vernon," he replied laughing. "Our romance has been different in most all particulars from others. For few men, indeed, fall in love with a woman's picture and chase her twelve years before he ever sees her. Rarely, too, do women promise to marry a man without first learning his full name."

THESE I HAVE LOVED.

I have loved leafy silence of the wood—

The first shy flowers of the early spring;

Old fields that dreamed in reminiscent mood

Of days of planting and of harvesting.

I keep the image of a river's blue

Enchanting length—its clean and pebbly shore;

Tall, somber cliffs that looked as if they knew

The meaning of earth's mysteries and lore.

And I have loved a lonely road that led

To haunts re-echoing notes of whispering will,

The fragrance that old fashioned roses shed,

And sheep that grazed upon a cool, green hill.

—MARGARET E. BRUNER in March KALEIDOGRAPH.

Remember you can get FARMING and this paper both for a year each or only \$1.75.

SAN ANTONIO LIVESTOCK.

Monday, July 22.

Continued heavy supplies in the cattle division failed to materially affect price levels Monday in the San Antonio livestock market. Trading was active on good calves, light yearlings, canner and cutter cows and on good beef bulls. Shippers and order buyers were on hand in numbers and good quality shipping stuff was in demand. Best calves and light yearlings sold readily up to \$6.25. Canner and cutter cows moved out to packers at \$1.75 to \$2.75 but plain butchers and in-between grades were draggy. Good fat butchers sold around \$4.00 to \$4.25 with \$4.50 paid sparingly for choice individuals by small killers. Good beef bulls brought \$4.00 and \$4.25. A few good stocker steer yearlings changed owners at steady rates.

Choice 175-250 pound truck hogs gained 25 cents to equal the five-year record top of \$9.25. Medium and heavyweights cashed readily up to \$8.50. The demand for feeder pigs at \$6.00 to \$7.00 continued heavy.

The sheep market again went untested. No good lambs were received for market and one package of wethers sold readily at \$2.75. No goats were offered.

Receipts and quotations Monday were:

Cattle, 694 head; calves, 685 head. Quotations: calves, common and rannies, \$2.50 @ 3.50; general spread of calves, \$3.75 @ 5.00; better kinds to choice, \$5.25 @ 6.25; common to medium grass steers, \$3.00 @ 4.00; better kinds, \$4.25 @ 5.00; canner and cutter cows, \$1.75 @ 2.75; plain butcher cows, \$3.00 @ 3.50; good and fat, \$3.75 @ 4.50; butcher bulls, \$3.00 @ 3.50; beef bulls, \$3.75 @ 4.25.

Hogs, 95 head; choice 175-250 pounds, \$9.25; medium and heavyweights, \$7.00 @ 8.50; light and feeder pigs, \$6.00 @ 7.00.

Sheep, 163 head; good to choice milk lambs, \$5.00 @ 6.00; wethers, \$2.25 @ 2.75; goats, general run, \$1.25 @ 1.75; choice fats, \$2.00.

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6-11	.09	.18	none	none	none	none	none	none	none	none
12-25	.09	.18	.27	.36	.45	.54	.63	.72	.81	.90
26-35	.10	.20	.30	.40	.50	.60	.70	.80	.90	1.00
36-45	.12½	.25	.37½	.50	.62½	.75	.87½	1.00	1.12½	1.25
46-50	.15	.30	.45	.60	.75	.90	1.05	1.20	1.35	1.50
51-55	.20	.40	.60	.80	1.00	1.20	1.40	1.60	1.80	2.00
56-60	.30	.60	.90	1.20	1.50	1.80	2.10	2.40	2.70	3.00
61-65	.44	.88	1.32	1.76	2.20	none	none	none	none	none
66-70	.59	1.18	1.77	none	none	none	none	none	none	none

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LACOSTE LEDGERETTES.

From the LaCoste Ledger—

Albert Reus from Hondo was a LaCoste visitor last Saturday.

Joe H. Tondre was a visitor here Tuesday.

Louis Lessing, Jr., from Macdona was a LaCoste visitor last Saturday.

Robert McKaig of San Antonio is visiting relatives here this week.

H. W. Keller from the Sauz was a business visitor here Tuesday.

John Gries from Castroville was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Richard Wanjura from Lytle was a LaCoste visitor Tuesday.

John Tragesser from Castroville was a LaCoste visitor Wednesday.

Eugene Bohl, proprietor of Bohl's Bottling Co. at Devine, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. R. Loessberg from Delta were LaCoste visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Biediger from Spindletop and Mrs. Frank A. Bohl and Joseph Hutzler were at New Braunfels Wednesday for the convention of the Texas State League.

Mrs. H. F. Franger and Miss Julia Trip from Macdona were visitors here Monday.

Mrs. H. V. Haass, Jr., and son of Castroville were short visitors here last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Burell from Castroville were LaCoste visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Cletus A. Batto and baby from Tarpley are visiting homefolks here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Christilles were visiting relatives at Castroville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Trip and children from San Antonio were visitors here Sunday.

Judge and Mrs. R. J. Noonan from Hondo were LaCoste visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schmidt, Mrs. Wm. Zinsmeyer and son and Mrs. Cletus A. Batto and son were San Antonio visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hellums and sons left Tuesday morning on a week's vacation trip to points out West.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Geiger were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tschirhart, Jr., at Bader Settlement last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Mechler and children of the Sauz spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mangold and sons at Cliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul N. Biediger and family from San Antonio were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Biediger and family here Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Geiger and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tschirhart and son at Noonan one evening the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Keller and sons and Miss Mary Ellen and Harry McKaig were San Antonio visitors last Friday.

The following were the guests at a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mangold of Devine given in honor of their son Patrick's confirmation, Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Biediger, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Biediger and children, Mrs. Catherine Hils, Edward and Charles Biediger and Miss Gladys Geiger of LaCoste, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Mechler and family from the Sauz and A. H. Biediger of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Biediger and sons, J. C., Jr., and Thomas, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Elmendorf and Mrs. Annie Warren in San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Sauer from Brackettville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Geiger and family here and of Miss L. Kose Haass at Noonan last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Helena Keller and daughter, Miss Octavia, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Keller and son were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emil Elmendorf in San Antonio Tuesday evening.

Mrs. R. P. Geiger and Julius and son, C. J., from here and Robt. Mechler and daughter, Miss Doris, from the Sauz were San Antonio visitors last week Thursday.

Messrs. Fritz Weiblen and son, Herbert, and Alvin Bippert from the Sauz, Chas. Suehs from Castroville and Walter Geiger from here took a trip to Houston Monday.

Messrs. Paul F. and D. J. Christilles and W. F. Biediger from here and Chas. Suehs and son, Eugene, from Castroville took a pleasure trip to Del Rio and the Pecos high bridge Sunday. They report a fine trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Stinson from Riomedina, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mangold and nieces, Misses Marjorie Salzman and Frances Mechler from Cliff, were at Macdona for the Club Dance last Saturday.

Mrs. Edmund Geyer and daughter,

Mrs. Otto Mann, from Goldfinch were visiting Mrs. Josephine Biediger here Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Biediger, who will visit with them this week.

Miss Alice Bush and Albert Rank of San Antonio were LaCoste visitors Sunday. They were accompanied here by Mrs. Lee Bush, who has been staying in San Antonio for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hawkes and children, Lee Marion and Ina, spent a pleasant vacation with their parents here and their brothers and sisters at Matamoros, Eagle Pass, Spofford and Del Rio, and returning to their home at Towner, Texas, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rieber and daughters from Hondo, Mrs. Avery Hall and daughter from San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zinsmeyer and son were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schmidt and Mrs. Cletus A. Batto and baby here Sunday.

Messdames Wm. R. Keller, Annie Lessing and Alfred Keller, Misses Myrtle Bohl and Rachel Mangold and Messrs. George Echtle and son, Henry, and Bernard Hutzler left here Tuesday morning for New Braunfels, where they are attending the Convention of the Texas State League of Catholic Societies as delegates of St. George Society, St. Ann's Society and Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Mary's Parish, LaCoste. The convention will close Thursday evening.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hans E. Ziegenbalg, a bouncing baby boy, July 13th. Mother and son are doing fine and daddy is wearing a broad smile. This newly born is the 13th grandchild and first grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ziegenbalg, to carry the name Ziegenbalg. Both grandpa and Grandma Ziegenbalg are past their 75th year.

Messdames E. J. Trip and daughter, Miss Julia, Joe O. Jackel and Henry Neutwich, Misses Louisa and Emma Lessing from Macdona, Messdames H. F. Franger, R. J. Mangold and daughter, Miss Rachel, and Otto P. Jungman from here attended a tea at the Tourist Club, 607 North St. Mary's St., sponsored by the cake and chicken demonstrators of the Rural Clubs of Bexar County from 3:00 to 5:00 P. M. last Friday, and report a very enjoyable evening.

AN AMAZING STORY.

Everybody be quiet now while I relate the amazing story that has just been read around the world. Parts of this story happened over in France; parts of it occurred in the voting precincts of our own country, and parts of it in Congress at Washington where our laws are supposed to be made Democratically for the masses, instead of for the few.

Back in 1917 about four million American boys were mobilized for war service. Over two millions were sent to France to do a dirty and bloody job over there, in which 350,000 were slain, wounded or died, but they did their job.

When the war was over the remaining soldiers came back wounded, footsore and sickened at the horrors they had seen. They felt like they had not been paid as much for their services as had been paid the people who stayed at home at easy jobs and good salaries. So, the boys asked Congress to figure up what was due them for back salaries and give them their just pay.

Congress, after much delay agreed that a considerable sum was due them, and promised to pay them in 1945. This was a very unsatisfactory delay to them, but they had to make the best of it and receive Certificates to that effect.

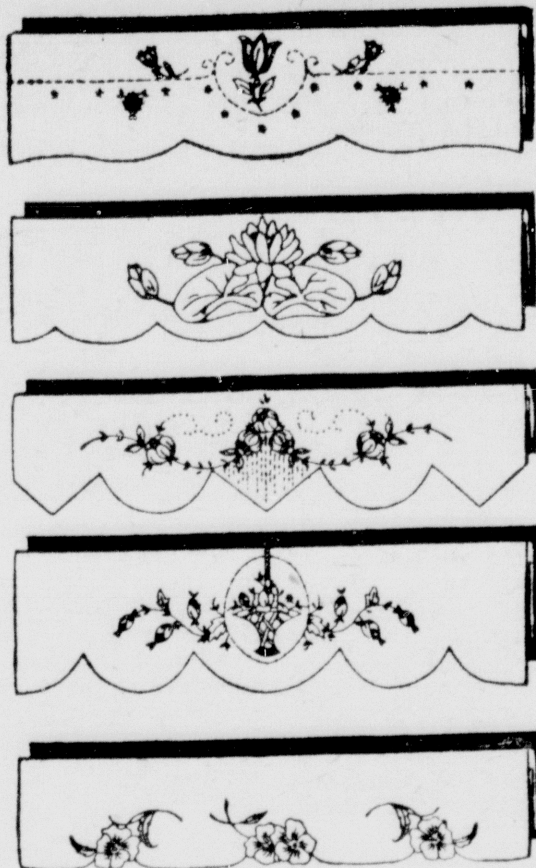
Later an election came on and the boys and their friends at the polls voted out many of the old set and elected a new set of Congressmen who promised to give the boys a square deal. The boys were encouraged. When Congress met in January last, one of the boys, who himself had been a soldier, introduced House Bill No. 1, which had for its object not only the present payment to the boys themselves of their back dues, but it aimed also to stop money lenders from collecting immense sums of interest on all money paid out for Government expense.

The Bill passed in the lower house overwhelmingly as it should have been done by loyal representatives of the people. This was the third time such a Bill had been passed by the Lower House. When the Bill was carried up to the Senate, it was passed there by a heavy majority. Thus far Democracy had won.

In response to millions of letters and telegrams, both Senators and Representatives all realized that their people back home wanted the bill passed, and in Democratic spirit, voted accordingly. But the President had to vote for the bill before it could become a law, and he wouldn't vote for it. Said the boys were not due anything until 1945. This was a gross insult to the host of ex-soldiers. They felt hurt. The President could have prevented it; eight Senators could have prevented it.

The vote in the Lower House was large enough to make the Bill a law without the vote of the President, but the majority in the Senate was not quite enough to pass the bill without his signature. Just a few Senators wanted to vote like the President, and on two previous occasions they, and the President to-

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gether had been disloyal enough to kill this bill in defiance of the people's wishes.

Are we a Democracy? The Bill was killed for the third time by a few Senators who wanted to vote like the President, and the sad news went back to the boys and their patient families at home. They and their friends were sorrowful and some were so discouraged they actually committed suicide. They were so distressed at the rebuff from the President and a few Senators in refusing their just dues for their families in distress.

But their friends advised them to compose themselves and not commit any rash act now, but wait until next election when the disloyal President and Senators could be given proper consideration for such acts.

The President is known to be partially paralyzed in parts of his body, and some think this weakness has perhaps extended up to his brain and prevents him from seeing clearly his duty. Others think the President and some of those Senators are employed by bond-holders and interest-takers and being more friendly to them are thus kept from serving the people as they should. In either case they will probably be remembered at the polls in 1936.

Today we are a Nation in mourning as a result of this ungrateful affront to its people. They will probably never become reconciled. A people sometimes become aroused and resentful. Their long suffering sometimes reaches the limit. We shall wait and see.

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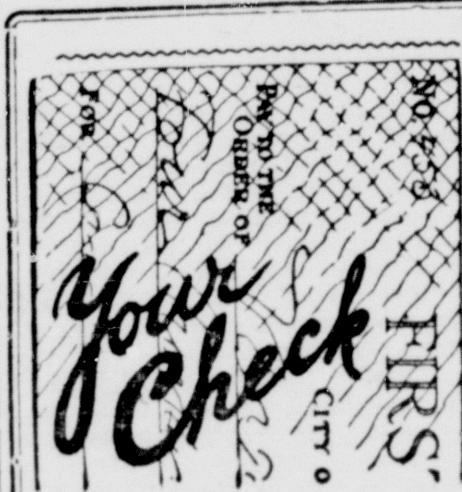
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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following are transfers of real estate in Medina County as put on record with the County Clerk's office at Hondo since May 1st, 1935:

B. J. Hattox and wife to W. B. Gebrels, warranty deed to 10 acres of land out of Survey No. 14, D. Lewis, known as Phil Hattox home-place. Consideration \$1760.00.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to Martin Aguinaga, warranty deed to 10 acres of land out of M. W. Dikes Original Survey No. 27, lying between Chicon Creek and Mills Road. Consideration \$500.00.

The Wheeler Kelly and Hagny Investment Company to Houston Lively, general warranty deed to 16.27 acres out of John Hardin Survey No. 35 1-2 and M. W. Dikes Survey No. 27. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Albert and Alvin Mumme to Heirs of Mrs. Katie Mumme deceased, warranty deed to all right, title and interest in 71 1-2 acres of land out of Survey No. 110, N. Pichot. \$1.00 and other consideration.

The Federal Land Bank of Houston to M. P. Crouch, general warranty deed to 131 2-3 acres of land out of N. W. part of Survey No. 7, Caleb Kemp. \$263.20 and other consideration.

Albert Reitzer and wife to R. G. Stark, warranty deed to Lot No. 6, Block No. 1, out of David Harvey Survey No. 20. Consideration \$25.

Frank Sutherland to John T. Briscoe, Jr., warranty deed to 40 acres of land off of the north end of 160 acre tract known as the South one-half of Sec. 2, Cert. 20, B. F. and I. M. Co. \$10.00 and other consideration.

John Sutherland to John T. Briscoe, Jr., warranty deed to 14.3 acres of land out of L. M. Collard Survey No. 97, and I. & G. N. R. R. Survey No. 4-17. \$50.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

John T. Briscoe, Jr., to John Sutherland, warranty deed to 40 acres of land out of 160 acre tract known as South one-half of Sec. 2, Cert. 20, B. F. & L. M. Co. \$10.00 and other consideration.

Joe Riff and wife to Mrs. Lina Fuos, deed to 169 acres out of Survey No. 225, H. E. & W. T. R. Co., and 8.75 acres out of Survey No. 226, State. \$1.00 and other consideration.

Mrs. Lina Fuos and husband, C. H. Fuos, to Joe Riff, deed to 113 acres out of Survey No. 249, H. E. & W. T. R. Co., and 64.75 acres out of Survey No. 189 1-2, M. Gonzales. \$1.00 and other consideration.

George A. Kennedy and wife to Albie K. Kennedy, warranty deed to 312 1-2 acres out of Ross Kennedy Survey No. 399 and D. Polk Survey No. 400. Consideration \$1.00.

Caroline Spellman to Vera Brantley, warranty deed to 117 acres out of M. Lavitre Survey No. 801. Consideration \$10.00 and love and affection.

R. J. Noonan to Ernest Keeling, warranty deed to 20 acres out of 40 acre tract out of Section 2, Cert. No. 20, B. F. I. & M. Co., Jos. Wilson Survey. Consideration \$250.00.

Ernest Keeling to Acme Life Insurance Company, warranty deed to 20 acres out of a 40 acre tract, Sect. 2, Cert., No. 20, B. F. I. & M. Co., Jos. Wilson Survey. Consideration \$700.00.

Acme Life Insurance Co. to United Fidelity Life Insurance Company, warranty deed to 20 acres out of a 40 acre tract of Sect. 2, Cert. No. 20, B. F. I. & M. Co., Jos. Wilson Survey. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to Eloise Crawford, warranty deed to 28.57 acres out of Jac. Steinhart Original Survey No. 500 and J. Lutenbacher Original Survey No. 516. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Mrs. Sadie Hutzler to Jacob Reily, warranty deed to 21 feet and 7 1-2 inches off of west side of Lot No. 13, Block No. 21, fronting on South Front Street, in town of Hondo. \$2000.00 and other consideration.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to Wilbur H. Jones, general warranty deed to 10 acres, out of John Degan Survey No. 31 and A. Campbell Survey No. 447; 54.44 acres out of John Degan Survey No. 31 and A. Campbell Survey No. 447. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Geo. A. Kennedy and wife to Jane K. Owens, warranty deed to 6607 acres of land in Uvalde and Medina Counties, out of Surveys Nos. 888, A. B. & M.; 190, John Kennedy, Assee.; 1003, John Cervantes; 88 and 86, L. A. Patillo; 595, Texas Central Ry. Co.; 1051, Jos. Smith; 189, A. C. H. & B.; 1063, Jesus Flores; and 1038 acres out of Survey No. 887, Vincent Grabbail and out of V. A. Johnson Ranch in Medina County. \$1.00 and other valuable consideration.

Thos. W. Masterson to Frank P. Seekatz, warranty deed to 4.50 acres out of Survey No. 20, Dave Harvey, on west side of Medina Lake. \$10.00 and other consideration.

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W. D. Atkins, warranty deed to 5.52 acres, being out of G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. Original Survey No. 58. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Frances M. Wurzbach, Indv. and as Ind. Executrix of the Estate of Henry F. Wurzbach, dec'd., to Henry H. Bryant, deed to 200 acres of land out of Louis Brown Survey No. 34 1-2. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Frances M. Wurzbach, Indv. and as Ind. Executrix of the Estate of Henry F. Wurzbach, dec'd., to Bryant Stock Farm, Inc., deed to 2075 acres, in Counties of Bexar and Medina, being 463 acres out of Survey No. 34 1-2, Louis Brown; 580 acres out of Survey No. 33, John Fitzgerald; 14 acres out of Survey No. 34 3-4, Ed. de Montel; 300 acres, out of Survey No. 367, Sarah Tyler; 130 acres out of Survey No. 207 1-2, P. V. de Rubio; 370 acres out of Survey No. 207, C. C. S. D. & R. G. Ry. Co.; 160 acres out of Survey No. 301 1-2, Catarion Castro; 58 acres out of Survey No. 101, Roberto Carasco. \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Medina Irrigated Farms to H. V. Wheeler, general warranty deed to 728.94 acres, comprising lots or parts of lots in Subdivision of Lands held by Trustees of the San Antonio Trust, \$10.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

J. M. Bandy and wife to Daniel McCrea, warranty deed to parcel of land out of Survey No. 800, T. Montier. Consideration \$250.00.

H. C. Glover and wife to H. F. Schurmann, warranty deed to 167 acres, being 160 acres out of Survey No. 35, Martin Nester, and 7 acres out of Survey No. 33 1-2, Gabriel Petty. Valuable consideration.

C. A. Gefinger, et al, to L. E. Kollman, warranty deed to north halves of Lots Nos. 6 and 7, Block No. 3, in town of Hondo. Consideration \$700.00.

G. D. Whitfield to Henry Bendele, warranty deed to Lot No. 8, Block No. 13, of Hattox Addition to town of Devine. Consideration, cancellation of \$2500.00 promissory note.

J. M. Finger to First National Bank, general warranty deed to 111 acres of land known as Survey No. 93, John Fohn; 28 acres out of Survey No. 118 1-2, P. May; 301 acres out of Survey No. 159, C. C. S. D. & R. G. N. Ry. Co.; 320 acres known as Survey No. 161, John Fohn. \$1.00 and other good and valuable consideration.

Mollie de Montel Haass and husband, H. E. Haass, to Chas. W. Suchs, warranty deed to 9 acres of land out of Elizabeth Hughes Survey No. 43, one mile north of Castroville. Consideration \$90.00.

Heirs of Paulina de Montel Taylor, dec'd., to Chas. W. Suchs, warranty deed to 30 acres out of old Survey No. 50, A. Quinones and new Survey No. 43, Chas. de Montel. Consideration \$900.00.

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FORMER RESIDENT BURIED HERE THURSDAY.

The body of Mrs. Susie Ann Wallace, 78, who died in Houston at 3 P. M. Tuesday, July 23, was brought to Hondo by train Wednesday evening, and funeral services were held just before noon Thursday, July 25, from the Horder Funeral Home. Rev. R. W. Merrill, pastor of the local Baptist church, officiated. Interment was made in the Oakwood Cemetery by the side of the deceased's husband, who preceded her in death several years ago.

Mrs. Wallace was born in Birmingham, Alabama, September 10, 1857, and at the age of two years came to Texas with her parents. She resided at San Felipe, Texas, until her marriage to Mr. John W. Wallace in 1893. She united with the Baptist church when a young woman. For a number of years the deceased with her husband and children resided near Hondo on the old Stone place. Death came following a long illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John M. McCoy, of Houston.

Deceased is survived by two daughters, Mrs. McCoy of Houston and Mrs. Roy Stone of San Marcos; one brother, R. W. Thompson, of Bellville, Texas; and by five grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. McCoy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stone and children, and Mr. Thompson, and Mr. Stone's sister, Mrs. C. W. Martindale, of Martindale were among the out-of-town relatives and friends to attend the funeral here.

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HER SMALL AD BROUGHT BIG BOUQUETS.

By Mrs. Mary L. Ballew.
My neighbor has a large collection of flowers and nursery stock which cost her only a few cents for postage.

She put a small ad in the paper offering to exchange for other flowers, shrubs and plants and in a few weeks' time she had traded several hundreds of her plants for a like number of others. She received every variety she could make use of including garden seed and young trees. The appearance of her home has been greatly improved and she said she found many good friends in this pleasant task.

LOSS.

I loved the whipping frenzy
Of blankets on a line,
Of beaten rugs and sudsy floors
And pans scrubbed to a shine.

I loved to storm the closets
And burrow deep in chests,
And set the pillows out to sun
And watch birds build their nests.

To tapestry the gleaming walls,
And spatter paint and lime;
O, spring turned drudgery to dreams,
In that small kingdom-mine.

This year I watch the months go by,
With empty, idle hand;
And only they who've wrought with spring
Can ever understand.

—RUTH GLOVER.

SPRING IS HERE TO STAY.

I'm so glad that winter's over
And spring is here to stay,
For I love the golden sunshine,
And all the flowers gay.
I'm so glad the birds are singing,
And zephyrs come my way.

I'm so glad that winter's over
And spring is here to stay;
For I've found a happy maiden
And call her, "Queen of May."
I have crowned her, too, with daisies,
Upon a throne, in play.

—A. S. DRAPER.

SOFTBALL

LEAGUE STANDING.

Leinweber's Lions	1	0	.100
Sinclair Dinosaurs	1	0	.100
Grell's Comedians	1	0	.100
Red & White Specials	0	1	.000
H-H Hot Shots	0	1	.000
Plaza Cafe Rustlers	0	1	.000

Girls Teams

Palle's Pullets	1	0	.100
Fly's Swatters	0	1	.000

SOFTBALL LEAGUE RESULTS

The first games of the softball league played on the newly lighted diamond furnished the large crowd of spectators plenty amusement.

Leinweber's Lions and the Red & White Specials met in the initial game of the league Wednesday night, the Lions winning by the lop-sided score of 17 to 9.

Batteries were: Abbott and Neuman for the Lions; Rath and Fusselman for the Specials.

The Sinclair Dinosaurs defeated the H-H Hot Shots 12 to 10 in the second game. Batteries: Montel, R. Schweers and Grant for the Dinosaurs; Bradley, Smith and Rihn for the Hot Shots.

Thursday night Grell's Comedians took the opening game from the Plaza Cafe Rustlers by the close score of 13 to 12, Gefinger pitching and Steiger catching for the Comedians; B. Schweers and Lamb hurling and Jimmy Bradley catching for the Rustlers.

The fair sex furnished the entertainment in the second game, with Palle's Pullets scratching their way to a 15 to 13 decision over Fly's Swatters. Batteries were: Hettie Nester, Jo Reily and Gladys Fusselman for the Pullets; Cameron and Garber for the Swatters.

Umpires: Dr. Taylor and Dr. Meyer. Scorer, Harry Filleman.

W. P. A. OFFICE AT UVALDE.

An important preliminary step in the establishment here at Uvalde of a district Works Progress Administration office was completed this week with the naming of the staff of the local office, as announced by Arthur Hazelrigg, District Director.

The staff, in addition to Hazelrigg, will include W. E. Watson of Uvalde as assistant director; R. D. McCrum, Austin, Supervisor of Finance and Reports; J. H. Breeding of Cotulla, Supervisor of Labor and Management; F. R. Cromwell of Calvert, Examining Engineer; Miss Esther Bonnett of Eagle Pass, Supervisor of Intake and Certification, and Mrs. Berta Malone, Uvalde, Supervisor of Women's Work. There are yet one or two other places to be filled, but the announcement of the appointments to these places will not be made until a future date.

Headquarters of District No. 15 will be located here, the district comprising the counties of Uvalde, Val Verde, Edwards, Real, Kinney, Medina, Maverick, Zavala, Frio, Dimmit and LaSalle.

Temporary offices are located in the Anderson Building, but as soon as necessary equipment arrives, permanent offices will be established in the Smyth Building.

It will probably be two or three weeks before this office will be ready to consider projects. At a future date we will conduct a series of meetings at which the workings of the

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WPA will be explained to county delegations, Hazelrigg stated this week. Each county will be notified as to the date on which it is to send a delegation.

"However, it will be perhaps two to three weeks before any projects can be started and it will save time and trouble for all concerned if projects are not mentioned for the time being.

"Red-tape has been reduced to an absolute minimum, but thorough precautions must be taken in the distribution of the approximately \$50,000,000 allotted to Texas out of the \$4,800,000,000 fund.

"It is the object of the WPA to ultimately transfer all able-bodied and employable relief clients from relief rolls to actual construction work projects.

"Adam R. Johnson, State Relief Director, struck the keynote last week when he said that the government doesn't owe everyone a living, but it does owe everyone an opportunity.

"The primary object of the WPA is to put men to work. In other words, the government is going out of the relief business, and every person who has been on relief rolls is now on his own responsibility, and it will be up to him to show that he is capable.

Since it will likely be three or four weeks before any of the WPA projects get under way, we are urging anyone who is offered a job elsewhere to accept it and not wait for the projects to start. Acceptance of a job elsewhere will not affect the status of a relief roll client. In other words, if a person shows a willingness to work, it will better his chances for obtaining work on the projects to be started later," Hazelrigg declared.

TARPLEY COUPLE WEDS.

John E. Tucker and Miss Vera Sprott, young people of the Tarpley community, were married Saturday afternoon, July 20th, with Justice of the Peace H. V. Haass performing the ceremony. This paper joins their Medina County friends in extending congratulations and best wishes.

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—FRANK A. LYDIC.

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LaCoste	0	11	.000

Last Sunday's Results.

1st game, D'Hanis 11, LaCoste 7.
2nd game, D'Hanis 9, LaCoste 7.
Sabinal 6, Knippa 2.

Games Next Sunday.

Knippa at Hondo (Double-Header)
LaCoste at Sabinal.

NOTICE.

The regular meeting of the local Chapter of the Future Farmers of America will be held at the school building Friday night, July 26th. All members and all other boys who plan to enter the vocational agriculture class this September are requested to be present.

SECRETARY F. F. A.

LOST OR STRAYED.

One dark bay horse mule, about 15 hands high, weighing about 950 lbs., large collar mark on each shoulder. This mule is the property of U. S. Rehabilitation client; finder please notify Rural Rehabilitation Office, Phone 100. 3tc.

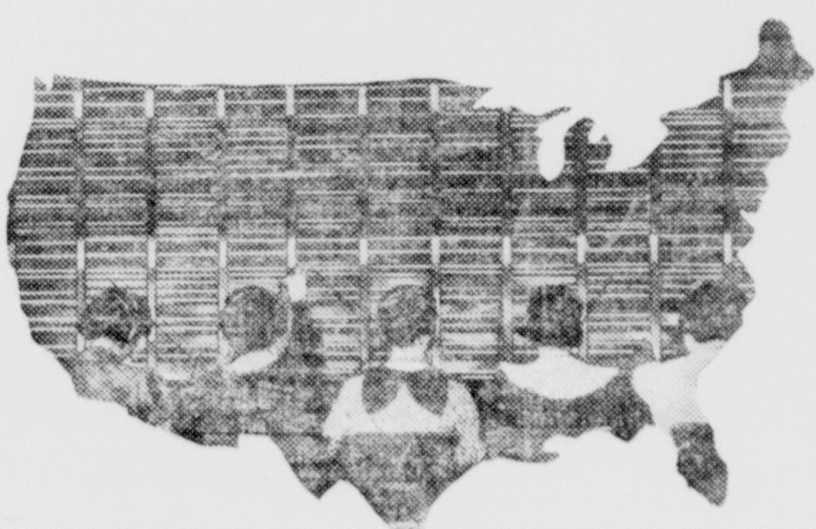
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Miss Josie Rothe

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, JULY 24, 1935

MORE WATER AT D'HANIS.

Steady rain, varying from 5 to 11 inches in this vicinity, again brought water to flood level Wednesday morning. Both the Seco and Parkers Creeks were swollen, and back water from the former filled basements in the business section. Especial damage was noted on highway and railway, and loss to individuals is not to be compared with that of May 31.

Many citizens have voiced their satisfaction over the enlarged bridge on the track just east of the R. R. station, for this opening now allows the water to flow more freely to lower ground at a point where it was formerly dammed up by high dumps. The Hondo Fire Department was busy Wednesday evening, pumping water out of basements. Tracks were repaired as to allow trains to pass through the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nester have been guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nester. Roy is in the employ of the S. P. Railroad, repairing signals along this line.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Brod have moved from the farm, and are occupying the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Koch, who are living at Hondo.

Mrs. Dora Behrens of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Stopper, Mr. and Mrs. August Brotze, Mr. and Mrs. Hilmar Brotze, and Miss Laura Brotze of Converse were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reinhart Wednesday. Mrs. Behrens is remaining for a week's visit.

Guests of Mrs. Lizzie Ney are her daughters, Mrs. Stanley Smith of San Antonio and Mrs. Pierce Stacy of Houston.

Mrs. Joe Reilly of Sabinal spent Friday here, the guest of relatives. Mr. Joe Carle, Mr. and Mrs. Ed.

Finger and son, Edward, and Mrs. Arnold Finger attended the Catholic State League at New Braunfels Wednesday.

Mrs. Edgar Ney of Corpus Christi is the guest of her father, Mr. Henry Wernette.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Koch and family are again occupying their home, which was severely damaged by the flood of last May, and which has now been repaired.

SOCIAL CLUB.

Mrs. O. J. Reinhart charmingly entertained members of the Social Club and other guests at her home Saturday afternoon. In the games of bridge Mrs. Henry Muennink won the high score among members and Miss Sarah Rothe among guests; consolation prize went to Miss Lena Reinhart, and low score prize to Mrs. Reilly Carle. The hostess served delicious refreshments to Mesdames Louis Carle, Jr., W. E. Albrecht, M. A. Zinsmeyer, Henry Muennink, Will Nehr, Reilly Carle, Charles Finger, John Kieber, Will Grimsinger, Misses Josie, Lucy, Sarah, and Melvera Rothe, and Lena Reinhart.

CARD PARTY.

The following were joint hostesses in the Parish Hall Sunday evening at a benefit card party: Mesdames Teresa Ney, Henry Weyand, Ferdie Koch, Louis Carle, Jr., and Ed. Keller. Prizes were won as follows: rook, Mrs. Alvina Koch and Mr. Joe Koch; high five, Mrs. August Brown and Martin Ney; bridge, Mrs. Ed. Finger and Mr. Eric Rothe; buncie, Kathryn Holiday and Donald Albrecht; entrance, Rev. E. Zuber, Mrs. Wallace Lutz, Henry Weyand, Charles Langfeld, Wallace Lutz, James Richter, and Vivian Biry.

government will abide by the spirit as well as the letter of these decisions, and will attempt no more experiments at the expense of already overburdened business, there would be a real wave of confidence—and recovery would follow in its wake.

A BULWARK OF CONSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT.

It has often been said that the greatest safeguard to liberty and constitutional government in the United States, is the country press. No nation is so well covered with local newspapers.

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That is why the country press of the United States is the greatest champion of the rights and liberties of all the people, as set forth in the fundamental law of our land.

If anyone doubts this, he has only to read the editorial comment of editors from the four corners of the nation today. To illustrate, the editor of the News, published in the typical country town of Ruskin, Nebraska, in his issue of June 13, in commenting on the growing tax bills and bureaucratic tendencies in government, says:

"We say, look out! When you get more than half the people on the federal, state, county, municipal or other public payroll, then you are going to have bureaucracy right, both at home and in Washington. As we have said before, it is not just what we are doing now, but the direction in which we are heading that counts."

THE LONG SUFFERING MOTORIST.

The motorist is a helpless victim of taxation because there is no practical substitute for gasoline.

For almost any other commodity the consumer can use a substitute.

But when it comes to gasoline, it's pay the tax or stop driving.

The states started taxing gasoline "moderately" but, as with all special taxes, the gas tax soon became exorbitant.

Then the federal government decided to take its pound of flesh from the motorist.

Motorists have it in their power to demand a reduction of exorbitant gas taxes, including the actual re-

peal of the federal gas tax.

They also have the right to demand that gasoline taxes be not used for other than road purposes.

When taxes run from 25 to 50 per cent of the retail price of any article, as the gasoline tax does, it is high time to correct the abuse.—Industrial News Review.

TEXAS FARM WOMEN SHORT COURSE.

Plans are nearly completed for five days of elaborate program for the farm women of Texas at the Farmers' Short Course, July 28 through August 2, it was announced by Miss Onah Jacks, Extension specialist, and chairman of the women's program committee.

Outstanding speakers, demonstrations, laboratory work, and recreation will be the keynote of the women's program this year.

Miss Margaret Furry, textile chemist from the division of textiles and clothing, Department of Agriculture and Bureau of Home Economics, Washington, D. C., has accepted an invitation to take charge of a series of laboratory demonstrations on "Natural Dyes and How to Use Them".

Dr. Samuel E. Gideon, professor of architectural design and history from the University of Texas at Austin, will speak on the program of Housing and Home Improvement which varies from architecture to landscaping and interior decorating.

Some of the demonstrations will be on: Making Soil and Potting Plants; Making Purses and Moccasins; Repairing and Painting Farm Houses; Cleaning Fine Fabrics; Wool Scouring; Control of Rose Pests; Attractive Touches to Bedrooms; Interior Decorating; and many other phases of farm life of interest to Texas farm women.

Each day will be divided generally into morning sessions consisting of meeting and talks by well-known men and women and Extension specialists on Texas farm life and its phases; the afternoons will be devoted to a series of demonstration programs. The program, as planned, will have a section on Texas Folk Lore and History.

On the last afternoon, Dr. T. O. Walton, president of A. & M. College, and Mrs. Walton will be hosts at a reception held on the president's lawn in honor of the Texas farm women attending the Short Course.

Recreation for each day while the Short Course is in motion.

SPIDER BITES.

By John W. Brown, M. D., C. P. H., State Health Officer.

Several cases of spider poisoning caused by the bite of the so-called black widow spider have been reported in Texas this year and people who live in rural districts might well take precautions against bites from these poisonous insects.

The scientific name of the black widow spider is *Latrodectus mactans*, and it is called the "hour-glass", "black widow", and "shoe button spider". Its shiny black, round abdomen gives rise to the name of shoe button and the bright red patch, which is shaped like an hour-glass, is responsible for the hour-glass designation. It obtains the name "black widow" from its custom of eating its mate. The body of the female is often an inch in length and the long, shiny black legs may stretch over a spread of as much as two inches.

This spider builds its web in dimly lighted places, generally in old toilets, garages, and other outbuildings. Its rough, coarse, irregular web is found under floors, in corners, between rafters, but especially under the floors of toilets, sheds, barns, etc.

Many requests have been received by the Texas State Department of Health relative to the best methods of controlling these insects. Spraying crude oil or creosote in cracks and crevices, particularly around the seats of old toilets, is an invaluable procedure, but precaution must be taken against fire. It is possible, also, to crush the egg masses with a stick. Other methods of control are unknown, although efforts are being made at the present time to find a parasite which will feed on the eggs.

After the sharp, stinging bite, acute pain develops in the region of the surface bitten, spreading to other parts of the body. In addition to the pain, there is generally withering, muscle contraction, difficult breathing, cold perspiration, nausea, and an extreme rigidity of the abdomen. If recovery occurs, there is a long convalescence, during which there remains general weakness, numbness, and pain. There should be no delay in calling a physician in cases of spider bite.

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A BRIEF HISTORY OF CASTROVILLE.

There has appeared recently a brief, carefully prepared, yet readable history of the Castro colony.

In CASTROVILLE AND HENRY CASTRO, EMPRESARIO, Julia Nott Waugh has traced the organization of the project in Paris, and told of the active opposition of the French government. She has followed the adventurous colonists across the wide ocean to the port of Galveston, painted the picture of their landing on these strange shores, of their despairing trek from the coast to San Antonio; and of days both festive and tragic lived out in the village which they finally established beside the Medina.

In the chapter devoted to the religious history of the community, Mrs. Waugh writes of the early organization and the steadfast life of the Lutheran church; and of the labors and trials of the early priests. She has much to say of that Abbe Dubuis who "had a sworn enmity with rest"; of young Mathew Chazelle who "died of misery yet more than of illness"; of Father Domech, the artist-abbé; and she relates in detail the achievement of Father Peter Richard, that man of up-bringing energy, under whom Catholic activity reached its apex in the town of Castroville.

In the chapter on Henry Castro we are told of his origin in a prosperous Jewish family of Bayonne; of his difficulties with French officials, particularly with the Minister of Foreign Affairs, Francois Guizot; of his long struggle against a world which he felt to be forever hostile to him, above all, against that worst of all enemies, himself. With honesty and insight, Mrs. Waugh has sought to tell us what manner of man was this Jew of Bayonne who persuaded solidest French and German farmers to sail across the sea to that new and wild land which was the Republic of Texas. He had limitless energy, persistence, the stubbornness of weakness; he was in sum, she concludes, a troubled soul who did the best he could.

The Castroville of today this writer feels to be characterized by industry, by gayety and by piety. She finds the village charming in its simplicity, interesting because it expresses the continuing tradition of the people who built it.

The book, which was written at the instigation of Mr. Ben Schweigmann, is off the press of the Standard Printing Co., San Antonio. Printed on eggshell book paper, and well bound in Morocco paper covers, it sells for \$1.00, postage paid. The edition is limited.

ON TEXAS FARMS.

By Minnie Fisher Cunningham, Extension Service Editor
"Knee deep in June" is okeh for the poet but apparently not for the dairyman if he is knee deep in Sudan grass gone to seed.

According to Extension Dairyman E. R. Eudaly, the value of Sudan grass is reduced about half if it is allowed to form seed.

He says it should be cut for hay just as it heads. If it is being grazed, but not kept down, mow half of it and two weeks later the other half. That way grazing will not be interfered with.

Mow the permanent pasture too. Twice a year mowing will kill the weeds Eudaly says. Cut high the first time—three or four inches off the ground—and low the next time to get the suckers and new branches.

Plant now for trench silo filling. Three tons per cow is what will be needed. Cane or grain sorghum can be planted on the oat stubble if there is enough moisture.

Cows need dry feed too, Eudaly says. And roughages are cheaper than grain. So plan for one ton of hay or bundle feed for each cow.

The Government's drought relief cattle buying removed about one million dairy cows from Texas farms, according to Eudaly. Remaining milkers should now be tested to be sure they are "worth their board and keep".

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LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

W. F. NAEGLIN, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Naegelin or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Mr. Naegelin is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, JULY 23, 1935

SCHOTT-HALBARDIER.

Two old and prominent Medina County families were united when Miss Evelyn Lucille Halbardier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Halbardier of Castroville, became the bride of Alfred Schott, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Schott of Devine, Tuesday morning at eight o'clock, July 23rd, in St. Louis Catholic Church of Castroville. The wedding was solemnized before a large group of Medina County relatives and friends of the couple. Following the nuptial services a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The bride was born, reared and educated in Castroville, and the groom is a rising young business man of Devine. After a brief honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Schott will be at home to their friends in Devine, where the groom has purchased the Milton Dubose bungalow on West side.

DEVINE COUPLE MARRIES HERE

Monday afternoon, July 22, 1935, Mr. B. L. Penland and Miss Mozelle Duncan, a young couple of Devine, slipped away from their friends and were united in marriage at the home of Anton F. Haller, Justice of the Peace, who performed the ceremony. Present were Mr. E. N. Morris, a cousin of the bride, and H. A. Elmendorf. The groom is engaged in business as manager of the Devine Barber Shop, and the couple will reside in Devine.

MARRIED SATURDAY.

Senor Hipolito Flores and Senorita Delfina Cuellar, a young Mexican couple of Mill Hill, were united in marriage Saturday night, July 20, 1935, at the home of Lupe Cuellar, by Justice of the Peace Anton F. Haller. Those who witnessed the marriage were Senor Dionicio Vasquez and Senora Alvina Anna Vasquez of Castroville.

Mrs. Chas. Suehs and son, Eugen, Mrs. Aug. J. Mangold and A. F. Haller were Convention visitors at New Braunfels Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Oerter of the Oerter monument Works people of San Antonio were here on business Saturday.

Mrs. Robert de Montel spent several days in San Antonio visiting relatives.

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Mrs. Mollie de Montel left last week from Galveston by boat for New York City where at present she is the guest of friends. She will remain several weeks, returning also by boat.

Hon. Joe Caldwell, State Representative of the 77th district, was a business visitor here last week.

Wm. Burell was a business visitor in San Antonio Monday.

L. Otto from the east side was a business visitor here Saturday. County Judge R. J. Noonan and Mrs. Noonan were Castroville visitors Monday.

Mrs. Hilmar Mangold, Mrs. Henry Tschihart and Henry Naegelin were Hondo visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Belzung of San Antonio are spending several weeks with Mr. Belzung's sister, Mrs. Ed. Kaufmann.

Commissioner H. J. Bippert was a Hondo visitor Monday.

Judge Haller's court was grinding Monday and business is picking up, which indicates the depression with some must be past.

Paul Tondre was a San Antonio visitor Saturday.

A meeting was held Monday night in the St. Louis Hall, at which preparations were made for a 25th of August celebration.

Mrs. Alfred Kempf of San Antonio spent several days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Mangold and Baby Bee.

A hard shower of rain, amounting to one-half inch, fell at Castroville early Wednesday morning. More is needed for the young corn planted since the rain which had already begun to suffer.

Willie Fous, the tinner, was bitten by a spider Tuesday morning, from the effects of which he became very ill. At this writing Wednesday morning he is somewhat better.

The delegates who attended the Catholic State Convention at New Braunfels last week returned here Thursday and report a large attendance and a successful gathering.

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